**Weather Report**

Mostly clear today and Thursday except for a few snow flurries in mountains.

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## U. S. Will Try Again To Reach Atom Accord

### Austin Asks U. N. To Refer Changes

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Feb. 25 (AP) — The United States suggested tonight that the United Nations Atomic Energy Commission try once more to reach unanimous agreement on the long-debated problem of harnessing the atom for peace.

Warren R. Austin, chief American Delegate to the Security Council, asked the council to send back to the Atomic Commission its December report, which carried the United States plan for atomic control, and refer the changes offered by Soviet Russia and the council's comment on the whole question.

**Gromyko Blocks Vote**

However, Soviet Delegate Andrei A. Gromyko blocked a vote on the United States resolution by telling the Council he would speak at the next meeting. The council adjourned at 5:43 p. m. (E. S. T.) and will take up atomic energy again Friday at 3 p. m. (E. S. T.)

The meeting was overshadowed by developments in the trusteeship field which will have a decided bearing on the council session at 3 p. m. (E. S. T.) tomorrow when the delegates will hear Austin make a major speech on the American request for sole authority to administer the Japanese-mandated Pacific Islands.

Russia informed the United States that she approved the American trusteeship. This caused expressions of surprise and evident pleasure among the council delegate.

Austin pointed to disagreements and agreements between the United States atomic plan, adopted by a 10 to 0 vote of the 12-member Atomic Commission, and the Russian plan, as put before the council by Andrei A. Gromyko, Soviet Delegate to the council.

"We are not going to allow a breakdown in our negotiations or force it to where the veto would be used," Austin said.

Eduardo Zuleta Angel of Colombia made his first statement on Colombia's stand since becoming a member of the council in January, lining up his country beside the United States.

**Favors U. S. Resolution**

Guy De La Tournelle, of France, favored the United States resolution but proposed that the commission be instructed to make a report to the council before the U. N. Assembly meets next September.

The United States and Russia are divided mainly over the veto question. The United States has insisted there must be no veto on atomic matters. Russia has demanded that all atomic control come within the final authority of the Security Council, in which Russia and four other great powers hold the authority to kill any vital matter.

The United States also has proposed creation of an Atomic Development Authority to handle all atomic matters. Russia has suggested a Control Commission which, in effect, would be principally a police body.

**"OBSERVERS" ON DUTY**—Spotters posted by striking teachers in front of Technical High School, Buffalo, N. Y., yesterday were joined by curious students, many of whom offered their moral support to their instructors' demands for more pay.

## 'Labor Smearing Isn't Needed,' Whitney Says

### Government Blamed For Railroad Strike

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25—(AP)—A. F. Whitney, leader of the railroad strike last May, roared to the House Labor Committee today:

"There is no need to smear labor by writing a multiplicity of laws that would make it appear that labor is a bunch of bandits."

His outburst came at the end of a crowded day in which Joe Curran and Harry Bridges, who have recently become open enemies in the Maritime Labor Field, complained bitterly to the Senate Labor Committee against pending legislation which they called anti-labor.

**Rail Dispute Unsettled**

Whitney told the House Group that last year's railroad dispute is "still unsettled" but he is "going on the theory" that it will be settled without another strike this spring.

Two unions, Whitney's trainmen and the railroad engineers, were forced by the government on May 25 to end their strike without the changes in working rules which they ardently sought. When Whitney testified today that this issue still exists, Rep. Nixon (R-Calif.) asked whether the matter was "sufficient to cause a strike."

Whitney said: "I can't answer that now. I'm not going to cross the bridge until we come to it. I'm not prepared to predict what will happen next May. But I'm going on the theory that we will meet the railroads and effect a settlement."

He attributed the 1946 strike to "government interference."

Curran and Bridges, CIO Maritime Union Leaders who worked together in the 1946 shipping strikes, did not appear on Capitol Hill in person. But they sent statements to the Senate Labor Committee charging that present "Anti-Labor Bills" are nothing more than efforts by "monopoly interests" to destroy labor unions.

Meantime chunky David Dubinsky, president of the AFL Ladies' Garment Workers, which has a long record of labor peace, testified before the Senate Group.

He told Senator Ball (R-Minn.) that Ball's proposals to outlaw industry-wide bargaining and the closed or union shop would deal "a body blow to our Democracy" and increase industrial strife "a thousand-fold."

Senators asked that Dubinsky give his own solution to industry-wide

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## President Orders Reciprocal Trade Guards Tightened

### Vandenberg, Milliki Pleased With Move

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP) — President Truman today announced he had ordered tighter safeguards on reciprocal trade agreements with other countries as a prelude to the 19-nation World Trade Conference in Geneva in April.

The President issued an executive order which, he said, is designed to make "doubly sure that American interests will be properly safeguarded."

**Seeks To Calm Fears**

Apparently seeking to calm fears that the United States might become a dumping ground for cheap foreign goods, the President ordered the insertion of "escape clauses" in trade pacts with other nations, so that tariff or other concessions which proved harmful to American producers could be cancelled.

He also set up machinery providing for appeals to the tariff commission by persons who feel they are damaged by imports.

Senators Vandenberg (R-Mich) and Millikin (R-Colo), who had suggested that the President modify the trade pact program in order to head off a Congressional movement to scrap or greatly modify it, issued the following joint statement tonight:

"We welcome the President's order as a substantial advance in the legitimate and essential domestic protections which should be part of an equally essential foreign trade program. The President refers to the fact that his order is the result of suggestions by us. This is entirely true in respect to the provisions for post-agreement appeals if and when affected domestic interests may be jeopardized. Here the United States Tariff Commission has responsibility to make direct protective recommendations to the President.

**Order Differs**

"The President's order differs, however, from our suggestions that the Tariff Commission should have somewhat similar direct responsibilities to prevent errors before they occur. But in the main we count the President's order as highly useful in a desirable direction. x x x"

Other reaction on Capitol Hill was mixed. Some Democrats applauded the President's move, while foes of low tariff barriers vigorously renewed their cries against "free trade."

## Blonde Stowaway Is Returned To France

MOBILE, Ala., Feb. 25 (AP)—Emilie Beyer, 19-year-old blonde French stowaway, was taken to Pensacola, Fla., today and placed aboard the American Steamship James Gunn to be deported to France.

The young woman arrived here earlier this month aboard the Gunn, and a seaman employed on the same vessel later told an immigration inquiry board he would go back to France and marry her.

The seaman, Emil Abent of 420 East Fort Street, Baltimore, signed for duty aboard the vessel on his return trip to France, L. L. Shelley, naturalization officer in Mobile, said.

Miss Beyer, who said she had hoped to get in touch with an uncle by the name of Karl Beyer in North Dakota (town unknown), was excluded from entry into this country by the board of inquiry and ordered deported.

## Bookkeeper Is Held

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP) — A 52-year-old bookkeeper was held on charges of grand larceny and forgery tonight after, police reported, he admitted the theft of $25,000 of the $50,000 he is accused of taking from a trucking firm through the manipulation of books and the forgery of checks to former employes.

## Leningrad Hero Would Quit Post

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP)—Marshal Andrei Aleksandrovitch Zhdanov, hero of the Battle of Leningrad, has asked to be relieved of his post as chairman of the Council of the Union of the Supreme Soviet, the Moscow radio said tonight.

The reason for the request, the Broadcast said, was "pressure of work connected with his main duties."

## Investigators Believe Baltimore Store Blaze Was Deliberately Set

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Investigators of the Fire Department's Incendiary Bureau today combed the wreckage of the fifth floor of the May Company, one of Baltimore's largest department stores, as department officials expressed belief the blaze was set deliberately.

Chief Engineer Howard Travers said Incendiary Bureau members were querying a "long list of witnesses" in an attempt to find out why sections of the automatic sprinkler system did not work and why the fire broke out in four separate places in a short space of time.

Travers said the sprinkler system "had been tampered with or deliberately shut off" either before or during the fire.

The fire broke out last night about two hours after the store closed for the day. Thousands of persons watched as more than 50 fire companies battled the blaze which firemen said damaged or destroyed "hundreds of thousands of dollars" worth of stock.

## Truman Talk Wrecked Holy Land Plans

### Election Statement 'Caused Breakdown'

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP)—Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin declared today that President Truman had "spoiled" Britain's negotiations on Palestine by insisting on issuing a statement during the United States Congressional election campaign last fall calling for the admission of 100,000 Jews to the Holy Land.

Bevin told the House of Commons that he had "begged" James F. Byrnes, then United States Secretary of State, "that the statement should not be issued, but I was told that if it was not issued by Mr. Truman a competitive statement would be issued by Mr. Dewey." (Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York).

**Critical of Statement**

"I really must point out that in international affairs I cannot settle things if my problem is to be made the subject of local elections," he said.

The Foreign Minister said Britain was still willing to make one more try to settle the Palestine problem before referring it to the United Nations. He also asserted that Arabs could be persuaded to allow 100,000 Jews to enter the Holy Land if future immigration "was to be determined by the elected representatives of the people of Palestine."

"There is still a chance of a settlement yet, if people will come off their arbitrary position, without going to the United Nations," he said.

"I am still open to a try. If it was only a question of alleviating Europe of 100,000 Jews, I believe a settlement could be found. x x x unfortunately that is not the position. From the Zionist point of view, 100,000 is only a beginning The Jewish Agency talks in terms of millions."

Bevin apparently ruled out the possibility of dividing Palestine into separate Arab and Jewish states He said that as he saw it, there were three alternatives for the United Nations to consider:

"1. Shall the claim of the Jews be admitted that Palestine is to be a Jewish state; or

"2. Shall the claim of the Arabs

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## U. S. Label Will Mark Relief Goods

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP)—Under Secretary of State Will Clayton told Congress today that the United States intends to slap a distinct "Made in America" label on future foreign relief and that shipments will be under terms so tough that some countries may refuse them.

Clayton testified before the House Foreign Affairs Committee on a proposed $350,000,000 relief program to be limited to Austria, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Poland and China.

The intention, he said, is to let the people of foreign lands know where their bread and butter is coming from — an assurance designed to meet criticism that they were kept in the dark on this nation's UNRRA aid.

Clayton did not specify which of the six countries may refuse to accept the aid rather than meet terms to be written in individual agreements.

Committee members had pressed for assurance that countries "under Russian domination" would be required to distribute the American-bought relief without discrimination and under open scrutiny of the American Press and radio.

In a related field, Chairman Vandenberg (R-Mich) of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee asked prompt action on President Truman's request for United States participation in the International Refugee Organization.

Vandenberg called for his committee to meet Saturday on the necessary legislation.

## Britain Gets U. S. Support On India Political Plans

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP) — The United States today threw it's moral support behind Britain's efforts to set up a free and independent India by June, 1948, and urged India's leading political factions to get together.

Secretary of State Marshall, in announcing United States backing for Britain's program, warned in a statement that civil strife in India could become the source of "new international tensions in a world only now beginning to grope its way back to peace."

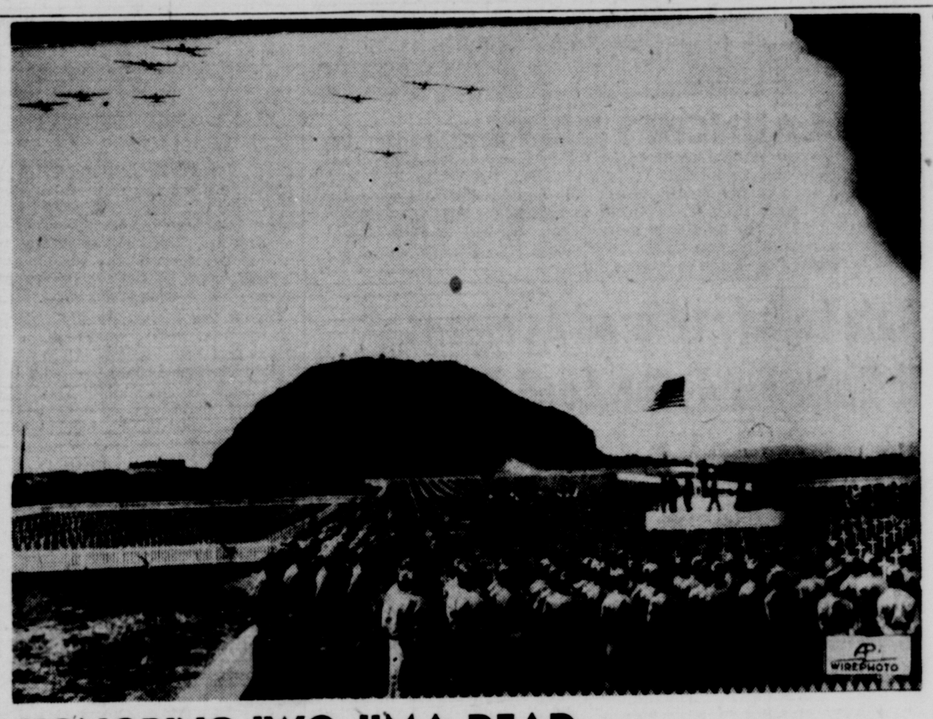
Marshall specifically appealed to the Congress Party and the Moslem League to resolve their political differences.

The two groups are co-operating in an interim government set up last September by the British but the Moslem League has refused to participate in an assembly to draw up a constitution for a Federal Union of India.

The league continues to campaign for a separate Moslem state, an arrangement strongly opposed by the Congress Party.

Marshall recalled that Prime Minister Attlee pledged Britain to transfer power "into responsible Indian hands by a date not later than June, 1948."

Referring to the "grave character" of this decision, the Secretary said the United States "profoundly hopes that Indian political leadership will accept this clear cut challenge and proceed to break the impasse between the Congress and Moslem League."



**HONORING IWO JIMA DEAD**—As four engined military planes fly overhead, services are conducted at the Iwo Jima cemetery in honor of those who died in the 1945 invasion of the then Japanese Island fortress. Mt. Suribachi rises in background. The service was held in commemoration of the second anniversary of the invasion.

## Talk Of Dollar Bacon Frightens New York Market

### 10 Per Cent Rent Hike Is Favored

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP) — A Senate Subcommittee voted today to raise rents 10 per cent, while soaring commodity prices brought talk of "dollar bacon" in Chicago and scared the New York Stock Market into a decline.

The day didn't bring totally bad news for consumers, however.

A Washington meeting of the American Retail Federation heard these declarations:

**Consumers Will Be Selective**

By Chairman Jerome M. Ney of the federation — "prices are higher than consumers want to pay and as supply reasserts itself, the consumer will become more selective in buying. Retailers must, in the consumer interest, insist on economic prices from their sources and see to it that quality returns to even better than pre-war standards."

By President Walter Morrow of the federation — "many industry leaders are moving positively in the direction of lower prices (and this will) do more than any one thing to take the steam out of rising wage demands."

By Chairman Edwin G. Nourse of President Truman's Council of Economic Advisers — business in 1947 will swing "definitely from a seller's market to a buyer's market."

New York reported there already is a buyer's market in scores of its hotels, with week-enders finding accommodations available without reservations. In Washington also hotel space was reported much easier to get than in the war years.

Labor department officials who fit retail and wholesale prices into consumer price indices declined to predict what might happen to food prices in the next few months.

Nevertheless, some of the department experts agreed that the recent highs for wholesale prices point naturally to higher retail prices.

**Record Highs Reached**

At Chicago today, record high marks were reached in commodity prices with hogs selling for $30 a hundred pounds. Cotton got as high as 35.02 cents a pound before it broke and wheat futures for a time were at a 30-year high of $2.39 a bushel.

In Washington, Maj. Gen. Philip B. Fleming, head of the office of temporary controls, told the Senate Appropriations Committee he sees a danger of sugar going as high as 30 cents a pound.

He said this could well happen unless Congress grants some $16,-

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## Couple Held In California On Federal Slavery Charge

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Feb. 25 (AP)—Alfred Wesley Ingalls, 64, identified by Assistant United States Attorney William Ritzi as a retired lawyer and former Massachusetts Legislator, and his wife Elizabeth, 62, were arraigned today on a federal charge that they kept a negro housemaid under involuntary servitude for nearly 30 years.

They declared their innocence and were released on $2,500 bond each. Ritzi said in Los Angeles that a Federal Grand Jury will be asked tomorrow to indict them on a charge of violating the Federal Slavery Laws.

FBI Agents arrested Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls in their fashionable Coronado home on a "confidential tip," Ritzi said, and they later were arraigned on a United States Commissioner's complaint charging they kept the housemaid, Miss Dora L. Jones, 57, in "involuntary servitude and slavery."

Ritzi, quoting from FBI reports, said the case had its inception in 1905, when Mrs. Ingalls went to Alabama as a missionary school teacher. She became a friend of the negro girl, then 17. Later Mrs. Ingalls married a man named Walter Harman and took Miss Jones from Alabama to Washington to work in her home as a maid.

Ritzi said there allegedly followed an incident which gave Mrs. Harman an opportunity to hold over the negro maid's head threats of criminal prosecution or commitment to an institution for the insane.

Ten years later the Harmans were divorced and she married Ingalls. Eventually, the couple moved to Lynn, Mass., and later to Boston, where they are said to have purchased an apartment house. Ritzi said Miss Jones was employed there but received no compensation.

Ritzi said the FBI report declared that when the Ingalls came to California from Massachusetts, Miss Jones was required to sleep in bathtubs or in the back of the automobile, and that she slept in the car for a month at Coronado while Mr and Mrs. Ingalls stayed at a hotel.

At their arraignment, Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls termed the charges ridiculous and said they would be cleared.

## WAA Gives 'Inch' Lines Sale Okay

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 — (AP) — The War Assets Administration announced today the Justice Department has approved sale of the big inch and little inch pipelines to the Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation for $143,127,000.

WAA Administrator Robert M. Littlejohn immediately signed a formal letter on intent which means that WAA has accepted the company's cash proposal to buy the lines for the movement of natural gas to the Eastern Seaboard.

The Texas Eastern Company, however, still must obtain a certificate of public convenience and necessity from the Federal Power Commission before it can begin deliveries. Senator Myers (D-Pa.) has said the sale is "not final at all" and has asked a thorough investigation by FPC before gas is moved east of the Alleghenies.

The line is now in limited operation by the Tennessee Gas and Transmission Campany, carrying natural gas as far as the Pittsburgh area. Pennsylvania interests have opposed the movement of natural gas into the New York-Philadelphia area where it would compete with production of anthracite coal in Pennsylvania.

Approval by the Justice Department is required on all large real property sales of government surplus, to assure that they do not contravene anti-trust laws.

Texas Eastern must be ready in nine months to put up the full purchase price. This is the meaning of "cash" under the terms of the disposal contract.

The company expects an ultimate capitalization of $182,000,000 to cover the purchase, costs of preparing the lines for movement of 425,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily, and initial operating expense.

## Guaranteed Wage Is Not Question For Legislation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP) — President Truman's Reconversion Advisory Board recommended today that the question of a guaranteed wage "be referred to free collective bargaining."

In a unanimous report, the board declared flatly that adoption of guaranteed wage plans "should not be the subject of legislative action, but should be referred to free collective bargaining."

The board, an advisory group to the Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion, is headed by George W. Taylor as chairman.

It also reported:

1. Stabilization of employment and its effectuation through wage or employment guarantees, "wherever possible, are matters of mutual concern to employers and employes," and each party "has the definite responsibility of seeking to stabilize operations within a plant or industry in order to advance the level of general economic security."

2. Progress toward the achievement of stability through the institution of guaranteed wages "is affected by existing legislation in the fields of social insurance, minimum wages, fiscal and tax policies." Consequently, the board suggested, "it is essential to review and evaluate all such programs" with a view to co-ordinating all of them to attain stable employment.

3. The guaranteed wage is a "significant but not an all-sufficient tool which may be employed in building national economic security and stability."

4. Since there is "urgent need" to establish economic stability and the "guaranteed wage is one of the instruments for the elimination" of industrial and employment fluctuations, the board recommended "continuing study to advance the frontiers of knowledge in this area."

## Big-4 Deputies Fail To Write Peace Drafts

### Unable To Overcome Major Differences

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP)—The deputies of the Four-Power Foreign Ministers Council ended a six-weeks conference tonight without an agreement on how the victorious allies are to write a peace for Germany or the draft of a treaty for Austria.

The deputies considering the German question were unable to overcome differences on the question of how large a share 18 smaller allies shall have in making a peace for Germany, and the Foreign Ministers who meet in Moscow March 10 will have no agreed recommendation on basic procedure before them.

**Have Different Plans**

Instead, the Foreign Ministers will receive diverse recommendations from the four deputies and a mass of suggestions from smaller allies. The council therefore will have to begin with deciding how to work out the German treaty rather than with getting down to the substance of the peace.

In the final session the deputies bogged down even on the question of how they were to report their disagreement.

Feodor Gousev, the Russian deputy, objected to a report which would have summarized points on which Russia, Britain, France and the United States were agreed and would have presented disagreed points in the form of marginal notes or annexes.

Finally it was agreed the deputies would simply report in this language: "The deputies failed to work out procedure for consultations with allied governments."

**Russia Objects**

Throughout the conference Russia has objected to the full participation in the German peace making demanded by the smaller powers.

The deputies considering a treaty for an independent Austria succeeded only in organizing a rough draft, in which are many blank spaces and unagreed sections.

The four-power negotiators disagreed on two main points: Yugoslavia's claim to 1,000 square miles of Austrian Carinthia, and a definition of "German assets" in Austria to be distributed as reparations.

## "99 To One" McKeldin Won't Be Candidate

ANNAPOLIS, Md. Feb. 25—(AP)—Mayor Theodore R. McKeldin took a tip from a breakfast table straw vote and announced today "it's at least 99 to one I won't be a candidate" for the Republican nomination for re-election this spring.

He told legislators at an informal meeting here that the breakfast gathering was attended by the Mayor, Mrs. McKeldin, their son Teddy, 11, and daughter Clare, 7.

Teddy led the opposition to the Mayor's becoming a candidate.

## Green Regrets CIO Rejecting Offer To Meet

### Also Writes Taft About Situation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP) — Prospects for any immediate merger of the American Federation of Labor and the Congress of Industrial Organizations virtually vanished today when the AFL took the position that the CIO had rejected its unification proposal.

AFL President William Green, in a letter to CIO Chief Philip Murray, said he deeply regretted that the CIO had "declined the request" to meet "for the purpose of creating a united organized labor movement on a sound and permanent basis."

Green added that an AFL committee of five stood "ready to meet with you and your associates for the purpose of creating organic unity and solidarity within the ranks of labor."

**Would Discuss Unity**

Murray had told Green in a letter February 18 that "organic unity" could be discussed eventually, but that the first step was to co-operate in fighting off unwanted legislation in Congress and State Legislatures.

On those two differences of opinion the chance for merger at this time seemed to have been dashed. The door which Green had appeared to open in a letter to Murray January 31 was swung almost shut in the exchange of communications which followed. Both organizations named committees to meet and talk things over, but that was as far as it has gone.

The AFL President also wrote a letter today to Senator Taft (R-Ohio) chairman of the Senate Labor Committee which last week heard Murray suggest that jurisdictional strikes could be eliminated if the committee called himself and Green together for a meeting on the subject, Taft had commented that was not the committee's task.

Green told Taft that merger of the two organizations would promptly terminate the conflict between unions for jurisdiction over groups of workers. He said Murray never before had attempted to get together with the AFL on the jurisdictional issue.

In his letter to Murray, Green said:

"It must be clearly obvious to the most unsophisticated person that the division which exists within the ranks of labor serves as a basis for the advocacy of anti-labor legislation by our enemies.

"Such a situation could be remedied through the establishment of a united labor movement.

"The committee representing the American Federation of Labor is prepared to meet with the committee representing the Congress of Industrial Organizations for the purpose of ending division, rivalry and discord within the ranks of labor.

**"First Things First"**

"The committee representing the (AFL) Executive Council believes in doing first things first. Surely time and experience have shown that the first step we should take in order to convince all classes of people of our sincerity, would be to meet and agree to terminate division within our ranks and establish, instead, unity and solidarity.

"x x x until this is accomplished, no good purpose will be served by attempting to deal with a vital problem in a temporary and makeshift way. We believe the ranks and file of labor are tired of the rivalry and division which exists within the ranks of labor. I am confident they want to become a part of a strong, united labor movement.

"We of the AFL are anxious to translate these hopes and desires of the rank and file of labor into an established fact."

## 100 Escape Injury

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 25 (AP) — About 100 employes escaped injury today in a heavy explosion of aluminum powder at a Louisville plant of the Reynolds Metals Company.

V. E. Furnace, plant manager, estimated the damage at $20,000 to $25,000 from the explosion and fire which followed. Flames were visible for several blocks and the explosion rocked the neighborhood.

## Human Chain Fails To Save Three Children From Drowning In River

PASSAIC, N. J., Feb. 25 (AP) — Three children drowned in the ice-covered Passaic River today as police and firemen sought vainly to stretch a human chain to their side.

The would-be rescuers, who reached out from the Wallington side of the river, were within 10 feet of two of the victims when the children loosed their holds on the ice and vanished, eye witnesses reported.

The identities of the children were not determined immediately.

Witnesses at the scene said the children were spotted about 50 feet from shore. One of them fell through the ice and disappeared. They said a negro boy was holding up a white boy as rescuers approached, but evidently weakened by the frigid waters, lost his hold and both slipped beneath the surface.

An eye-witness, Stanley Lanuda, of Wallington, who lives nearby, said one of the boys in the water yelled:

"Don't come any nearer. The ice is cracking. We're going under. You'll go too."

The cries of the stricken children, whose ages were estimated as between 10 and 12, were clearly heard by the crowd of 300 to 400 tense spectators. One child was heard to cry that he was cold and freezing.

# Expectant Mother Hears Witnesses Tell Of Shooting

## Mrs. Abney Held For Killing Mate

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Mrs. Mildred Abney, 21-year-old expectant mother sat calmly in Federal Court today as several witnesses told of seeing her fire shots into the body of her soldier-husband near the bus depot at nearby Fort George G. Meade.

Government testimony was concluded before a blue-ribbon jury in the trial of Mrs. Abney on charges of killing her husband, Sgt. Richard Jean Abney, 28, of Junction City, Kans., last January 6. Defense testimony is scheduled for tomorrow.

**Tells of Events**

Several government witnesses told Judge William C. Coleman and the jury the events which led up to the Conshocken (Pa.) woman's arrest.

Charles J. Willkie, a bus driver, testified he was sitting in his bus at the depot when he heard two shots. As he was running to the scene, he related, two more shots were fired while the soldier was lying on the ground.

Willkie said he grabbed the gun from Mrs. Abney's upraised hand and then turned her over to military police.

The witness told the court that Mrs. Abney was crying. Then, Willkie said, she exclaimed:

"Jean, I didn't want to shoot you, but I told you if you didn't come back to me, I would kill you."

Willkie said that a few minutes later Mrs. Abney told the crowd standing around that she was "carrying the baby for him" but that her husband had wanted to leave her for another woman.

**Couple Separated**

Assistant United States Attorney Anthony Purcell said in his opening statement that Abney had advised his wife he no longer wanted to live with her and that she had visited Fort Meade twice in unsuccessful attempts to effect a reconciliation.

The jury was told Mrs. Abney was given complete mental and physical examinations before being ordered to stand trial and that the child is expected in four months.

Mrs. Abney had asked for a quick trial in order to "get it over" before the baby arrived.

Judge Coleman refused to admit into evidence oral statements made by the defendant to military officers on grounds the officers had failed to advise her of her constitutional rights.

The Abneys were married last March.

# Magician's Poultry Vanishes Without Help

CHICAGO, Feb. 25 (AP) — Clarence A. Frank, a magician who earns his living by making poultry disappear, went out to feed his props today and discovered they had vanished without any help from him.

Frank, of Hutchinson, Kans., had his ducks, pigeons and various other equipment of his act, valued at $20,000, in a truck parked outside his hotel. When he got there with his bag of feed, truck and contents were gone.

Later, two detectives found a parked truck, its rear and side windows broken. Inside were Goo Goo and Wanda, Frank's vanishing ducks.

**'IKE' LAUNCHES DRIVE**—Appearing before 450 Jewish leaders gathered in Washington, U. S. Army Chief of Staff Dwight Eisenhower (center) called upon the American people to support the record $170,000,000 United Jewish appeal for relief of Europe's 1,500,000 homeless and destitute survivors. He is shown being greeted by Henry Morgenthau, Jr., former Secretary of the Treasury and general chairman of the drive. Former Gov. Herbert Lehman, New York, is looking on.

# State Lottery Offered As Means To Raise Funds For Aged Persons

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 25 (AP) — Delegate Frederick (D-Balto Sixth) suggested to the General Assembly today that a commission be named by the Governor to look into the possibilities of creating a state lottery to raise funds for the caring of aged persons.

In a joint resolution, which was referred to the House Ways and Means Committee, Frederick said there are in Maryland "thousands of aged persons with either no visible or no sufficient means of livelihood."

"The very presence of such persons, and the necessity for their engaging in arduous and menial work in order to eke out a bare existence, raise serious questions of social policy in an age which boasts of its social enlightment."

Frederick said the state owns large tracts of land upon which buildings and facilities could be erected to accommodate many of the aged and under-privileged.

"A state lottery," he added, "could conveniently and easily supply the funds necessary for such a project." The type of lottery was not outlined.

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be admitted that it is to be an Arab state with safeguards for the Jew, under the decision for a national home; or

"3. Shall it be a Palestinian state in which the interests of both communities are as carefully balanced and protected as possible?"

The Foreign Minister said he had decided that two states capable of surviving as nations could not be formed out of Palestine, but added "you can make one x x x and transfer the rest to another Arab state."

In the slow, deliberate voice of a classroom lecturer, Bevin told the House that he was on the verge of what might have been a solution last fall, when "the whole thing was spoiled" by President Truman's statement.

"At that stage things looked more hopeful and there was a feeling—I don't think I over-estimate it—that I had the right approach at last."

# Governor's Budget Is Approved By Senate Committee

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 25 (AP) — Governor Lane's budget cleared its first hurdle today when the Senate Finance Committee voted approval of state expenditures totaling $167,000,000 for the next biennium.

Of the total, $91,000,000 would come from general funds and the remainder would come from special funds and other sources.

But the legislature's concentration on fiscal matters was far from ended. Senator Sothoron (D-Prince George's), chairman of the Finance Group, announced he would name a sub-committee to study the accounting system used in State Departments, then scheduled a series of hearings on various departmental budget requests.

The committee's approval, moved by Senator George (D-Queen Anne's), followed a joint meeting with the House Ways and Means Committee.

It was noted that only 72 of the 300 pages in the budget had been given intensive study, but Delegate Pumphrey (D-Prince George's), chairman of the House Committee, observed that at the rate things were going, it would take until July Fourth to complete the job.

The forthcoming hearings will be on requests of departments seeking the largest increases. The results of the hearings will be reflected in the supplemental budgets Governor Lane will present later in the session.

Requests of the Department of Health, Mental Hospitals and State Tuberculosis Sanatoria will be considered at the first meeting tomorrow at 11 a. m.

Budget Director Walter N. Kirkman said the increases are essential. Original requests were cut first by his department, he explained, and then by the governor.

The Finance Committee made only two amendments to the Senate's bill. One eliminated a provision for a nurse for the executive mansion—a deletion the Governor had suggested—and one inspector. Both were a part of the budget for the superintendent of public buildings and grounds.

The accounting system review was authorized at the request of Senator Barton (D-Balto Second). He described the present system as "antiquated."

New paper bags made of wet strength paper absorb moisture without breaking, and are used by stores as containers for wet beverage bottles, fresh vegetables, and other wet objects. Even if rained upon they do not disintegrate, and regain their full strength when dry.

# Russia Approves U. S. Trusteeship Over Jap Islands

## Diplomats Surprised By Soviet Cordiality

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP)—In a surprise move, Russia has stamped its cordial approval on a plan for American control of the 623 Pacific islands wrested from Japanese mandate, Secretary of State Marshall disclosed today.

A Moscow note took the position that United States control would be entirely fair because the blood shed in evicting the Japanese was largely American.

**Sets Capital Buzzing**

The note set the Capital buzzing with speculation. Marshall was asked at a news conference whether he thought Moscow was trying to set a precedence to justify the Soviets' own postwar land acquisitions. He declined comment.

Russia had been generally expected to side with the British and Australian contention that the United Nations should postpone the whole question of the future of the strategic Marshall, Marianas, and Caroline groups until a peace treaty is written with Japan.

Marshall gave a news conference a paraphrase of the Russian note which made no mention of delay. Moscow in the communication which arrived yesterday said Russia took into account that the islands were won chiefly by American Armed Forces.

Russian-American affairs on the eve of next month's Moscow peace conference of the Big Four Foreign Ministers dominated a series of announcements and comments by Marshall, which included:

1. There has been no change whatever in general policies of the United states on terms of a European postwar settlement from the pronouncements of Former Secretary James F. Byrnes last fall at Stuttgart and the American positions at the 1945 Potsdam conference.

**Delegation Selected**

2. An American delegation of 84 has been selected for the Moscow conference and will leave by air probably March 5. It includes John Foster Dulles, Republican Foreign Affairs adviser who has attended earlier conferences and was chosen for Moscow with the concurrence of Chairman Vandenberg (R-Mich) of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

3. Marshall considers as closed the diplomatic quarrel resulting from Undersecretary Dean Acheson's comment that Soviet foreign policy was "aggresive and expanding." The State Department plans no reply to Foreign Minister Molotov's latest note which said that Marshall's explanation was unconvincing.

4. At Moscow Marshall will be guided by circumstances, in taking up with Molotov issues not involved in the German and Austrian peace settlements. He said, however, he did not anticipate bringing up the stalemate over Korea.

5. The United States "profoundly hopes," Marshall said in a formal statement, that India will accept the "challenge" of the British offer of self-government by 1948 and proceed to break the impasse between the Congress and the Moslem league.

6. Romania has assured the United States that it will refrain from discrimination and carry out faithfully other stipulations made by President Truman, in distributing 7,000 tons of United States Army food to famine-stricken Moldavia Province.

## Talk Of Dollar

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000,000 of funds slashed by the House from OPA and other control agencies.

Rent control would be stopped officially December 31 in a bill which the Senate Banking Subcommittee adopted on a 3 to 2 vote. The bill provides that a 10 per cent increase be allowed immediately.

St. Louis is the only city in the nation with a Federal Reserve Bank and a Federal Land Bank.

# MacArthur Urges Speedy Signing Of Jap's Treaty

TOKYO, Feb. 25—(AP)—Interior Secretary Krug and General MacArthur today advocated a speedup of democratization processes for American controlled islands of the Pacific and for Japan.

Krug, on a tour of Pacific Islands administered by the United States, said the natives should be given "a measure of the freedom we have at home." Specifically, he advocated United States citizenship for Samoans and Guamnians in recognition of their long association with the United States.

MacArthur told Rep. Poulson (R-Calif), Rep. Engle (D-Calif) and Delegate Farrington (R-Hawaii) all of Krug's party that:

1—A formal peace treaty should be signed quickly with Japan which "can become a more thorough democracy than Germany."

2—Delay in concluding the peace is handicapping Japan's development and might make the country too dependent upon the United States.

3—Japan has a capable self-government—one of the conditions named last year by former Secretary of State Byrnes as prerequisite to a treaty.

Krug also conferred with MacArthur, discussing for two hours self-government for Pacific Islands. The secretary declined to say what proposals he would make to President Truman after his return to Washington March 4 but told an interviewer:

1—"Government of the islands should be based on minimum interference with the natives' traditions and tribal customs. Native chieftains govern well when left alone."

2—Okinawa should be disassociated from other, smaller islands. It "is a large land mass with some 400,000 residents. It presents different problems. I was very much impressed with the job being done there under MacArthur."

## Bleacher Collapse Probe Is Begun

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Feb. 25 (AP) — Purdue University engineering experts set out today to learn the cause of the collapse that tumbled 3,500 basketball fans into a tangled heap from which two persons were taken out dead and 250 others injured.

Of the injured, 142 remained in two hospitals and the university infirmary, and at least nine of them were reported in critical condition.

The bleachers fell last night at the halftime intermission of the Purdue-Wisconsin basketball game as the fans arose to cheer the home team, which held a one point lead over the Badgers.

Dr. Frederick L. Hovde, 39-year-old president of Purdue who headed the Government's rocket development program during the war, took the lead in ascertaining the cause of the accident. In a preliminary report to Gov. Ralph F. Gates he attributed it to "structural failure of materials."

# Race, Amusement Tax To Replace Tax Levy Offered

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 25—Additional taxes on race tracks and amusements were suggested today as partial substitutes for a planned two per cent state consumer's sales levy and boosts in Maryland income taxes.

Delegate John H. Reed (D-Balto 5th) offered the program and estimated it would add $10,000,000 annually to the state's revenues.

The general sales tax, proposed last week by Governor Lane, would raise an estimated $18,000,000 annually.

Reed, admitting that his program fell far short of the financial needs, nevertheless urged that other legislators come up with some ideas to find additional taxes so that the sales tax would not be necessary.

"I am just one opponent of the sales tax," he said after the House adjourned a quiet, routine session. "The others who are opposing it should have some ideas to make up the difference. If they don't, they shouldn't oppose the tax."

Reed said that he was preparing a bill for introduction in the House which would place an extra five per cent "emergency" tax on race track betting, calculated to raise an additional $5,000,000 annually.

The take from the tracks is now 10 per cent, the tracks getting six and the state four. The extra levy would boost the take to 15 per cent, with the state getting nine per cent of it. Reed said that such extra tax money now is collected in New York, Kansas, and the state of Washington.

He also introduced a bill today to repeal an act of the extraordinary session of the legislature last December which gives the tracks one-half of the "breakage." The Reed Bill would give the state all of the breakage, estimated by Reed to be about $2,000,000 per year. The tracks now take one-half of the breakage computed to 10 cents.

Reed also suggested that the state amusement tax be increased from one and a half per cent to 10 per cent. He estimated that this source would boost the revenue from this source from $250,000 to $3,700,000 per year.

During a brief Senate session, five new bills were introduced, three local, and two of state-wide character. One of the state-wide bills would include the superintendent of the state accident fund in the merit system, and the other would exempt the Boy Scouts of America from taxes on real or personal property.

Six bills were passed, one of which would repeal a law to refund a cent of the lateral road gasoline tax on commercial vehicles operated regularly and exclusively by business in Baltimore City or other municipalities. This was amended by the House as an emergency measure, effective immediately upon the governor's signature, in order to avoid providing tags to such vehicle users this year.

The rough Turkish towel originally was used as a ceremonial towel or head kerchief by only distinguished guests and the nobility, a Chicago Art Institute official reports.

**AN EYE FOR A HOME**—Here's a man who is literally willing to give his right eye for a home. He's Leroy Stewart, Peoria, Ill., factory worker, whose wife and three children live with her parents at Belleflower, Ill. He sees them only on weekends. Eleven persons share the house. So he's offered to sell one of his eyes for money enough to buy a home for his family.

## Labor Smearing

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crippling strikes, as in the coal and steel industries.

Dubinsky, smiling, replied: "Maybe if I would know, I would become a Senator."

Whitney, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, the man whom President Truman blasted on the radio last May 24 during the railroad strike, went before the House Labor Committee.

His testimony took a new twist: In an atmosphere where numerous members of Congress seek to outlaw the closed shop in industry generally, Whitney urged that the Railway Labor Act be changed to permit the closed shop and union shop in the railroad industry. This act now bars such contracts.

# Georgia Citizens Group Will Fight Talmadge Faction

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 25 (AP) — Leaders of "The Aroused Citizens of Georgia" will undertake tomorrow to reorganize Georgia's Democratic Party and purge it of the political faction led by the late Eugene Talmadge.

Formed a month ago to protest the unprecedented election of Herman Talmadge by the Legislature to the governorship term of his late father, the citizens' group is represented by a 75-man Executive Committee.

Spokesmen declined predictions "until after the committee meets," but sources within the committee told the Associated Press the group would be asked to read Talmadge and his faction out of the Democratic party. Talmadge will be accused of "bolting" the party and thus forfeiting leadership.

The move, significantly, follows registration of the name "Democratic party," and two similar designations with Georgia's Secretary of State. A reorganization such as is contemplated could lead to rival primary elections or conventions, and eventually to rival "democratic" parties competing in the general election.

Talmadge declined comment on possible revolt within the Democratic party, saying: "Let's don't anticipate what time the moon will rise April 15."

Critics of Talmadge's "White Primary" Act, which seeks to perpetuate white supremacy by making primary elections into "club" affairs which exclude negroes, warned repeatedly in the legislature that it would lead to formation of a second party. They described the legislation as "a black primary" and predicted negroes would obtain the balance of power if rival factions fought it out in the general election. Negroes cannot be barred from general elections.


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# BROADWAY

By DANTON WALKER

**The Roaring '40's**

Two days after Lucky Luciano boarded the boat for Italy this column (for Feb. 12, 1946) stated: "Broadway believe that Lucky Luciano, currently being deported to Italy, will wind up in Brazil or Cuba, where he has more friends than in Mexico." . . . The present uproar revives the rumor that the mobster flew here from Cuba last September, conferred with pals, then returned to his Havana hideout. . . . Some Republican politicians—reaching pretty far—see Washington's sudden action against Luciano as a long-range political move to embarrass the Presidential possibilities of Gov. Dewey, who paroled Lucky after he had served less than one-third of his 30-to-50-year sentence. . . . It may have some bearing on the "Black-Douglas" feud that is brewing in the Department of Justice and the shift in personnel that is going on behind the scenes in the Federal Bureau of Investigation. . . . By phone from the capital: "Vandenberg will positively oppose Taft by coming out for Lilienthal and throwing his weight against the budget slash." Vandenberg's principal interest just now, they say, is to stymie Taft's chances for getting the 1948 G. O. P. nomination, which he (Vandenberg) doesn't want himself.

Clinton Anderson

Former Postmaster Generals Jim Farley and Frank Walker to be quizzed by the U. S. Senate on the inner workings of the Post Office Department. . . . Senator Tobey's announced move to investigate the Reconstruction Finance Corporation forecast here last November 4. . . . The Howard Hughes-Jack Frye (TWA) rift reported here twice, December 13 and February 5. . . . The Civil Aeronautics Administration investigating possibility that some recent plane crashes due to deliberate sabotage. . . . New York police checking an angle on the recent taxicab rape-robbery of a "Street Scene" singer; why the driver of the stolen cab had gone into a building to collect his fare, leaving the motor running. Suspect a "plant" job. . . . Small laundrymen applying for gun permits because of the recent epidemic of holdups and killings. . . . Harry Thaw's death revives the story, among certain Broadway circles, of how a present nit club owner aided in his escape from Matteawan. . . . Some 14,000 federal employes in the U. S. to be dropped within the next four months.

Louise Macy Hopkins (Harry Hopkins' widow) being importuned to enter politics, probably as a congressinonal candidate. . . . Mayor Kelly of Chicago to head a drive for a Roosevelt (F.D.R.) Memorial. . . . International circles hear that the Maxim Litvinoffs are preparing news of a domestic nature; also that Marlene Dietrich and her husband, Rudolph Sieber, both now abroad, will get a European divorce after all these years. . . . Ilona Massey's mother due in New York next month to attend her actress daughter's wedding to an Army officer. . . . Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson to tour Europe shortly to double check on Herbert Hoover's findings on the food situation. AGVA (AFL) over the national director's "dictatorial" attempts to dissolve local chapters in key cities and operate the arganization from New York headquarters. . . . The health of a note[illegible] leader (not John L. Lewis) has his friends and followers worried.

One of Tommy Manville's exwives giving much concern to admirers. . . . The "inside story" on why Louis B. Mayer sold his stables is a Hollywood classic. . . . Mae West quite sure that her big time screen comeback will be accomplished if they let her remake "She Done Him Wrong" in Technicolor. Ann Sothern's "Mazie" slated to go off the air. . . . Lionel Barrymore has with no fanfare written a play for sister Ethel based on a famous Chinese Dowager Empress. Wants Chinese movie star Keye Luke, currently of the "Dr. Gillespie" screen series (who just opened in New York at the China Doll night club) for a lead role. . . . A top drawer British producer so desperate for American movie stars that he's tempting them with contracts with a write-your-own-ticket salary clause.


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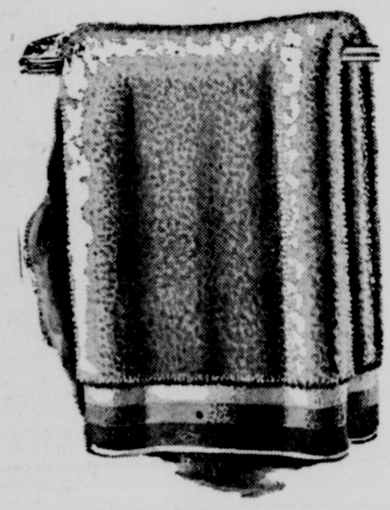

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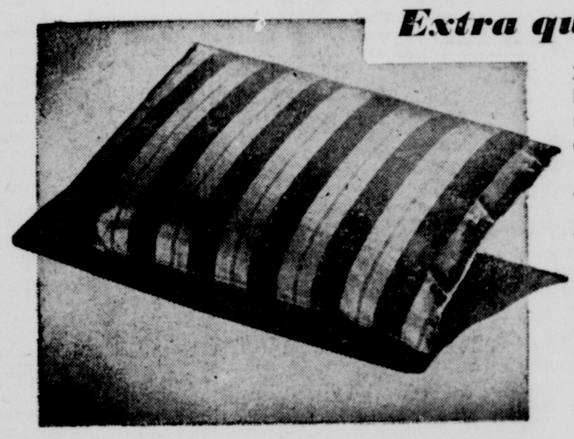

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## Great Britain's Belt To Be Pulled Tighter

Never in peacetime and seldom in wartime have the people of any great nation received the grim warning which Prime Minister Attlee has given the men and women of England. They must work harder and for longer hours. They must do without more of the necessities of life. They must forego some of the leisure to which they may think they are entitled after a long struggle against a foreign foe.

Failure to follow this course, says Mr. Attlee, might mean that "we never would restore the foundations of our national life." Even as it is and assuming that all these things are done, the country will not attain in 1947 the export goal which it needs to maintain a normal standard of living for its people.

The specific steps which the labor government is about to take have for one of its purposes a vastly increased production of all necessary commodities. Pursuing this objective, miners will be exempted from military service for five years and 35,000 new miners will be recruited. Nearly half a million men will be released by the armed services and added to the labor force.

Foreign laborers will be brought in and a campaign undertaken to attract housewives to the factories. Veteran workers of retirement age will be asked to stay on the job. For all of whatever age and condition, a certain amount of rationing will continue.

These are not the things the labor government promised the workers when its candidates ran for office. But it is now evident to the world that Britain has made no economic progress since the Attlee regime took over.

## Communist-Controlled Rumania Gets U. S. Help

Famine and disease are spreading in Rumania. Famine threatens death to tens of thousands of people, according to reports. Rumanian officials have been making special efforts to get foreign emergency assistance.

Rumania, which looks to Moscow for political leadership, has been looking to Moscow for aid in the food crisis. It has not been forthcoming. Russia is having her troubles with short food supplies.

Rumania, which does not look to Washington for political leadership, has looked to Washington for aid in the food crisis, and not in vain.

President Truman has ordered 7,000 tons of food now on the way to U. S. Army posts overseas to be diverted to Rumania to be distributed under Red Cross auspices. There is no charge. The only stipulation is that the food must be distributed "with guarantees against discrimination on political, racial, religious or social grounds," whatever that would be.

This food is a gift from the American people to help prevent starvation in a country recently in arms as an axis satellite and now uneasily at peace under communist control.

Americans have given proof that they will fight famine as an enemy of mankind and not on political grounds. It is too much to hope that this gift from the American taxpayers to Rumania will be received as some slight evidence that humanity and democracy are not unknown even to what the communist propagandists would call such a colossus of capitalism and imperialism as the United States.

## Car Shortage To Throw New Brake On Industries

A critical shortage of freight cars threatens to throw a new brake on United States industrial reconversion, which finally has been getting under way full steam after an exasperatingly slow start. Among those to feel first effects is the newsprint industry, which is faced with a curtailment of deliveries from Canada, source of 80 percent of its supply, for at least a month. And American newspaper publishers, already in short supply, face even more drastic cuts.

The freight car shortage, says Railway Age, "is due to a single cause, namely an inadequate supply of steel. Not only are insufficient freight cars being built but the current supply of materials is inadequate to keep at a minimum the number of cars out of service awaiting repairs." The railroads blame the steel industry and ask more "considerate" treatment in allocation. Their competitors, they say, are getting more steel than they ever did before.

Transportation is a raw material which is just as important as steel, and railroad transportation is far and away still the most importnt from the industrial viewpoint. The steel industry should recognize that its own well-being is linked to the problem of providing the railroads with the wherewithal to build enough freight cars.

## Lenten Meditations

The Christian world has turned, as of the ages, to another 40 days in which the supreme drama of its faith is unfolded. And its peoples, in America as in other lands, in order to appreciate the sacred significance of the Lenten season and its climax of Holy Week, are preparing themselves through thought and prayer.

Contrition, abnegation and humility, in the deeper participation in the Way of the Cross, never were more needed by God's children than in the sorely-troubled world of today.

## Red Synonyms

Gerhard Eisler testified under oath at an immigration hearing in 1941 that he was not a Communist, and insisted he was in sympathy with the Communist movement.

When he was arrested as an undercover agent of the Communist Internationale, his principle defender, The New York Daily Worker, described him as a "German anti-Fascist."

One day last week Mr. Eisler admitted he was a Communist. He also identified himself as an "anti-Fascist," so the two terms can be regarded as synonymous in the Communist lexicon. He did not admit he was a liar, but that was in the record anyway.

Chicago paper refers to a high-ranking general as a jackass. What probably burns the old boy up is that he has discovered, to his dismay, that he cannot courtmartial the editor.

# HOW TO KEEP WELL

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

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**NEARSIGHTED VISION**

WHENEVER the subject of myopia (nearsightedness) is brought up in conversation, some one is likely to volunteer the information that it always occurs in the intelligentsia. The typical example is the small boy with specs who sits at home and reads so much that he warrants the title of "bookworm."

Statistics show that this is not so, but there is a good reason why the myth has been established. Myopia may develop early in life but is often not noticeable until the youngster goes to school. Since the victim is able to see only close objects, his world is confined to toys, pictures, or reading, and he has no yen to go sight-seeing, play ball, or indulge in hide-and-seek. It is little wonder that such children become studious, not by choice but necessity. They are not perturbed inasmuch as many take defective vision for granted and assume that every one is afflicted similarly.

As the youngster grows older and mingles more and more with classmates who have better eyesight, the handicap begins to manifest itself and he gradually becomes aware of his plight. With properly fitted glasses a new world is opened, but by this time the lad has acquired the habit of reading and studying and is likely to continue.

Medical books are filled with possible causes, but actually no one has ever supplied the exact answer. Many have elongated eyeballs which were inherited in the same manner as curly hair, large ears, or a size 7½ hat. As a result, the rays which enter the eyes focus in front of the retina and images close by are the only ones that are seen perfectly and without blurring.

There is no way to prevent or cure the condition as we have no more means of controling the growth of the eye than we do any other part of the body. Usually the disorder becomes worse until development reaches its maximum. This is variable and in some extends to the 25th year. The amount of impairment likewise varies and may be slight or extreme. To compensate, spectacles are worn, but they should be rechecked every year or two.

Few if any symptoms are present. Vision for distance is indistinct, but reading and sewing are accomplished in comfort. If Myopia is associated with astigmatism, a certain degree of eye discomfort appears when close work is undertaken for any length of time. The individual may complain of tired eyes, sensitivity to light, or spots. Others blink frequently or screw the eyelids together whenever peering into the distance.

It is a moot question as to whether anything can be done to retard this progressive tendency or make it worse. Many eye physicians believe that the abnormality does not advance as rapidly if excessive near work is avoided. Plenty of sleep and out of door exercise is recommended and all the rules of health should be adhered to rigidly. When studying is contemplated the light must be adequate and large print is preferred. A prolonged stay in the country is sometimes helpful. If a sightsaving class is available, where conditions for reading, writing, and other detailed tasks are ideal and skilled supervision is given the parents may wish to enroll the child.

**NERVE PARALYSIS**

C. A. writes: Can myasthenia affect only the eyes?

REPLY

No. The disease has a predilection for the muscles of the eyes, face, lip, tongue, throat, and neck. No matter where it starts, progressive weakness usually occurs.

# Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

**Strange Voyage Of Words**

It is strange how words will fly when given adequate wings! There are thoughts, uttered or written thousands of years ago, that keep traveling—flying and settling all over this earth, in people's minds and hearts in books, in mottoes, and cut in bronze and marble.

Over public buildings you read these words ,on statues, and often you find them in the strangest of places—and people paying attention to them. Thinking about them, and often treasuring them in their memory. There are sentences and poems that I read in my youth that I committed to memory, and which stay with me, and often I, too, give them errands to run! As so many do.

What a multitude of wise and inspiring sayings travel under no other authorship than merely "Author unknown" or "Anonymous." And in what strange places we find great books! I once read of a woman who went to Arizona for her health. She was very lonely, but one day she stepped into a bookshop and there on the table was Kenneth Grahame's "Wind and the Willows." It was one of her favorite books, but seeing it out there gave her a wonderful lift—like meeting an old friend. Books are like that.

Quotations from Shakespeare, the Bible, Don Quixote, Emerson's essays, Thoreau, and endless other great books, leave their original nests and fly to all parts of the world, and take lodging in millions of minds. How strange is this continual voyage of worlds! Many an interested reader has been led to the original nests of these words just from a mere quotation.

We never know where anything that we write or say is going to find lodging. How often, in traveling, I meet people who take from their pocket some saying that they have treasured! In my own pocket such items are always to be found—many worn and frayed. Yet treasured just the same.

Words are the architectural tools of the mind, but in the soul of a poet they become both brush and paint, leaving to all present life, and to posterity, undying masterpieces of beauty, fadeless and eternal.

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## DEMONSTRATING THE NEW MODEL FOR PROSPECTIVE CUSTOMER

# The Washington Merry-Go-Round

## Dewey Takes Notable Step In Battle Against Tuberculosis; Rankin Disparages G. O. P. "Accomplishments"; Legal Crackdown Due For Building Violations

Says DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Many states of the United States require every dairy cow within their borders to be tested for tuberculosis once a year. Governor Tom Dewey has now taken the revolutionary step of elevating human beings to the same level as cows.

From now on, every man, woman and child in New York State not only will get a tuberculosis test but also will find state hospitals available for their care if necessary.

At a time when Republicans in Congress are pinching the federal budget even to the extent of wiping out the school milk program, the Republican governor of New York has quadrupled his health budget in order to battle tuberculosis.

He is also coordinating New York hospitals so that certain institutions in healthy counties such as Herkimer, which are virtually empty, will be taken over by the state. This will prevent the construction of more hospitals at a time when building materials are critical and their use would interfere with veterans' housing.

Note—Worst tuberculosis patch in New York state is among the Negro population of Harlem. Migration from the warm south, plus crowded living conditions has made Harlem one of the worst T. B. areas in the U.S.A.

**Rankin in Reverse**

During the long years under Roosevelt, the best friend and ally of minority Republicans in the House of Representatives was rootin'-tootin' Congressman John Rankin of Mississippi. His barbs at his fellow Democrats always brought howls of laughter and rounds of applause from the Republicans across the aisle. They continually goaded the pint-sized Mississippian into more harangues.

Now that the Republicans are in the saddle, however, things are different. Rankin isn't the ally he used to be. In fact, he's almost more critical of the Republicans than of the northern Democrats. Talking in the House cloakroom the other day, the gentleman from Mississippi opined:

**"In nearly one month the great and glorious GOP senate, the Senate which was going to do everything, has to its credit three major accomplishments: Unanimous confirmation of two Democrats — George Marshall and Fanny Perkins — to high posts, and the granting of a 60-day vacation with pay to Bilbo.**

"Let's see, there are 51 Republican senators, and if we multiply that number by $1,250, monthly salary of a member, we get the grand total of $65,650—about $21,250 per 'accomplishment.'"

**Bob Allen's New Book**

Bob Allen, who used to do a job on Washington via this column, today brings out a job on the cities of the U.S.A. His new book, "Our Fair City," does to the sprawling hodgepodges of bossism and bizarre architecture which we call cities what Lincoln Steffens did on the same subject twenty years ago.

**Bob has corralled a stable of newsmen all the way from Boston to Butte, and under his editorial direction, they have dissected the bosses that run the cities, the newspapers that tolerate and sometimes conspire with the bosses, the red-light districts that pay tribute to the bosses—and so on down the line.**

The book makes you realize that while we throw stones at Governments in foreign countries we could do a little stone throwing right here at home.

**Vets Housing Crackdown**

**Home builders who have been defying federal regulations on veterans' housing had better start consulting their lawyers.**

Certain builders in the Denver and Cleveland areas are being haled into court to show why they have failed to file sales reports on housing begun before controls were lifted last December 24. This housing, numbering more than 350,000 units, still is affected by price controls and veterans' priorities.

Furthermore, the Denver and Cleveland cases are only curtain raisers to the nation-wide crackdown on builders, who are still required to file the sales reports with the OPA (now a part of the office of temporary controls). OPA compliance officers have evidence that there have been widespread violations, with the result that many vets have been gypped.

Legal action was decided on at a confidential meeting of housing administration and OPA officials with representatives of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Veterans Committee and the Amvets. However, it required some two-fisted prompting by the Vet spokesman to get John Sink, Housing Expediter Frank Creedon's representative to agree to the creckdown.

"I don't think it is a good policy to bring action against the builders at this time, when we have to keep everybody on the ball producing homes," objected Sink. "It may cause a lot of trouble and only serve to alienate the builders."

**"Well, it's one thing or the other," declared Wesley Pearce of the VFW. "You're either going to have compliance or you're not going to have it. You can't enforce compliance without hurting somebody. If a builder is chiseling or defying the law he ought to be hurt.**

"The only way to stop violations is to clamp down and get criminal convictions."

**Andrew Newman of the AVC and Allen Solada of the Amvets strongly seconded this view. So did the OPA spokesman. Finally, Sink gave in when the vet trio promised to get their organizations solidly behind the compliance drive.**

**Capital Chaff**

The Bilbo boys continue to be worried sick over the indictment of ex-Congressman Andy May and his Garsson associates. Various war contractors who kicked in to Bilbo's campaign bombarded "The Man" in the hospital urging him to withdraw from the Senate altogether . . . . Correction—Since the Federal Trade Commission made its 1937 report on newsprint, the St. Paul newspapers have sold their interest in pulp mills and are no longer in the newsprint business . . . . Speaking of current shortages in the House stationery room, there was a day when several typewriters were stolen from the stationery room and brazenly taken out the main entrance of the Capitol. When investigators questioned a young capitol guard as to what he was doing when the typewriters disappeared, he replied: "Oh, I'm kept very busy in my spare time, studying. I want to be a G-man." . . . Col. Jay Cooke, Philadelphia banker and former GOP chairman, who is accompanying Harold Stassen to Europe, wants to be secretary of the treasury if and when Stassen gets in the White House . . . . the new Democratic political deal means that Bob Hannegan and No. 1 brain truster Clark Clifford are working in double-harness and that Hannegan again will have the chance to pass on Truman appointments.

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# Great Britain's Crisis May Have Far-Reaching Effects In World

By SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL

Britain's crisis may have far-reaching effects throughout the world. Part of her difficulty is a shortage of manpower. Before the war, she had around 100,000 of her young men in foreign service—now, around 1,000,000. This makes her short a half million men or more who are not producing coal and other British necessities.

Will Britain decide to reduce her far-flung commitments so she can bring her young men home? She has pulled out of Egypt. She has offered self-government to India. She is tired of taxing herself to police and feed Germans. "Reparations to the losers" has a sour sound on the the home front.

She wants to turn Palestine over to the United Nations which would, perhaps, put American soldiers right in the middle of the Jewish-Arab dispute!

The war destroyed her balance of power policy in Europe (and Asia). This had kept the sun from setting on the Union Jack without large forces of her own in foreign lands. If Britain now reduces her overseas forces, it will increase the load on us. It will be used by those who demand military conscription in peacetime America.

**Marshall Has Grounds**

Is it any wonder that Secretary of State Marshall says that "the world is in a critical situation"?

Will Britain's domestic crisis—which cannot soon be cured—soften her policy toward Russia? Britain must "export or die." She must exchange her own production for food from abroad. The Attlee Socialist government wanted to boost 1946 exports 175% over 1938. Last year her exports fell below 1938! Before the war, coal was her fourth largest export—to Italy, Sweden, even to Canada. Now she isn't mining enough coal to supply her needs at home. Britain is up against the gun.

Relief from bad weather won't solve her ills. They are chronic. British miners have stupidly fought machinery in mines on the ground that it would cause unemployment. Excessive taxes under her "social welfare" program and class warfare have made British mining a monument of inefficiency.

According to John L. Lewis, the British coal miner, with hand tools, digs one ton of coal a day. The American miner, with machines, mines six tons a day. With all his faults, Mr. Lewis has never opposed the mechanization of American mines. As a result, our miners get three times the wage, and our consumers buy at one-third the cost at the pit head as compared with British coal. Mr. Lewis knows that high wages can be paid only out of high production. Would that some other labor leaders knew as much!

**Inducement Small**

With a weekly wage of $19.75, and taxes of all sorts of this beautiful "social welfare," the inducement is mighty small for a young Briton to do dangerous work underground. So the mines are short of men. And the British Empire is reeling all over the globe.

If taxes don't permit men to save, they choose the easy job. It is soft-headed thinking that Britain's socialist program of "austerity" will get men to produce more for a smaller "take home." They will take the dole instead, as long as it lasts!

Americans are blind, indeed, who do not see in Britain's crisis a red light on the present American road toward the socialization of industry, crushing taxation, strangling bureaucracy, penalties for working, and rewards for loafing.

# NEWSgrams

Natural gas as a fuel was first used in the United States in the Pittsburgh district of Pennsylvania about 1882. It was used for heat and power both for domestic and industrial purposes.

The thickness of the lens of the human eye changes only about .02 of an inch in changing size for near and far vision.

# Opponents Of Budget Cut Take Refuge Behind Military Issue

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25. — Although the Senate and House may put an over-all ceiling on budget expenditures, the question of how much real cutting will be done in every category of expense probably will remain undecided until the present session of Congress has gone through all the appropriations.

Already the assumption that the military and naval expenditures will be reduced drastically has stirred up considerable controversy. Many of those members of Congress who do not want to see much budget cutting, because they want to continue the era of spending, are taking refuge behind the military security issue. The country is being warned that this or that size of budget means a threat to national security.

Despite all this talk about the cutting of the Army and Navy, no over-all examination of the expenditures required for defense has as yet been made by Congress itself. To the extent that members begin to familiarize themselves with the items desired by the Army or Navy, as the case may be, expressions of protest are heard concerning the cutting of the over-all budget.

It is most unfortunate that a Council of National Defense such as the Navy proposed some time ago is not in existence. Certainly such a Council, far from expressing an opinion on how the budget should be cut or even how much be spent in a lump sum, should state just what the defense problems of the United States may be.

Until the nation understands what the Army and Navy and the Air Forces are expected to do by way of defending the security of the United States, it appears useless to talk about individual items of any size in the budget.

**Usual Outcry On Capitol Hill**

The usual outcry against any form of cutting of the military budgets is being heard on Capitol Hill. This is only serving to stiffen resistance on the part of many members of Congress to pleas for the retention of large expenditures.

The Army and Navy have never been told by the Department of State what their potential war mission is expected to be. Until this is clearly defined, it will be difficult to turn down the demands of Congress for economy and the result will be much more drastic cutting of military and naval budgets than otherwise would be the case.

At the moment, most of the discussion is theoretical. It is based on fighting World War II over again. Notwithstanding the introduction of the atomic bomb, requests for the purchases of materials for the continued production of obsolete weapons are being regularly approved. It is true that no military establishment can afford to stand still, but it is also true that when Congress begins to find out how much money is being spent currently for munitions that will never be fired, there will be a tendency to cut deeper than the military men have reckoned.

The question of how big the Army or Navy or Air Forces should be is not to be decided by fixing a lump sum and asking the services to split it three ways between them or by allocating amounts to each if they fail to agree. National defense would not be assured that way.

**Fixing Of Policy Needed**

What is needed is the fixing of a definite policy for the fighting of the theoretical war. Everybody knows that this is the real task of the war and navy departments in all countries in time of peace. The public may misconstrue this as indicating a belief that war is inevitable. Nothing could be more absurd than to relate preparations at this time with any predictions of war.

The problem is now, as it always has been, to select a theoretical enemy power and plan America's defense against possible attact from such a power. Whatever is needed to fight such a war constitutes the extent of an American preparedness program, and, if this were brought out into the open, the people would sanction the expenditures. Much misunderstanding arises from the fact that War and Navy Departments are supposed to prepare for any eventuality and yet they are supposed to hide the fact that they are preparing for specific eventualities.

Today the case for open preparation is clearer because it will be the United Nations or a grouping of those countries in the U. N. which will carry on the next war. It seems unlikely that the United States would allow herself to be placed in the position of preparing for war without realizing that in such a contingency the other members of the U. N. would go along with the United States.

To support the U.N., therefore, it is necessary that the United States assume that a combination of armies and navies will be needed to repress any power which seeks aggression.

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# PITCHING HORSESHOES by Billy Rose

I haven't had a vacation since 1940. Tomorrow I start on a long one—a whole week.

This afternoon, a friend asked whether I was going to do any deep-sea fishing while in Florida. I had to go and lie down for two hours, just thinking of it.

I'm not interested in fish unless it has a sprig of parsley alongside it and a piece of lemon in its mouth. I'm equally allergic to boats. That includes those little trick ships you see in glass bottles. I'm second cousin to the fellow who arranged to be fanned with a herring when the doctor prescribed salt air.

Jimmy Durante included Ben Hecht, Gene Fowler and the Great Jimmy Durante.

And for good reasons.

About ten years ago, I spent a summer on Fire Island. One weekend, my guests Ben, who is almost as good with a rod as with a typewriter, said, "Let's go out tomorrow for some fish."

"Terrific," enthused Schnozzola, "Dey got good smoked sturgeon at Lindy's."

Five-thirty the next morning, we headed for the pier. I noticed Durante smacking every tree he passed. "When I'm awake," he explained, "no bold sleeps!"

We chartered a boat and tackle from a blood relative of Captain Kidd. Hecht and Fowler clambered on board. Jimmy and I followed—that was our first mistake.

Ben elected himself captain and took the wheel. "I know every sand bar in the bay," he told us. A hundred feet off shore, we hit something. "That was one of them," cracked Ben.

Fowler, who knew how to bait a hook without laying open his thumb, took care of the tackle.

Durante fished a deck of cards out of his pocket and the two of us started a game of nickel casino. A mile out, I began to lose interest in the cards. Maybe it was the four seasickness remedies I had taken. I looked at Jimmy's famous nose. It had turned a delicate shade of chartreuse.

"Can I get you anything?" I asked him.

"Yeah, an island," moaned the Great Man.

Three miles out ,the boat began going a buck-and-wing. "What do we do if it springs a leak?" I wondered out loud.

"Dey puts a pan unner it," said Durante.

Fowler asked me if I wanted to cut up some clams for bait. I shook my head. Then I stopped—but my head kept on shaking. I lay down in the bottom of the boat. Jimmy joined me.

Fowler looked up from the bait cans. "Don't worry about it," he said. "Nobody ever died from seasickness."

"Don't say dat," croaked Jimmy. "Oney da hope a' dyin' is keepin' me alive."

We putt-putted along until I figured we were off the coast of France. Then the dropped anchor and the boys began to fish. An hour later, the score was: fishermen, 0; fish, 2 cans of bait.

Durante looked up long enough to say, "If dey're bitin' today, dey mus be bitin' each udder."

Fowler pulled up the anchor. "There's an old wreck about a mile from here," he said. "The fish are so thick there you can walk on the water."

Again we putt-putted and again we stopped. "Time to eat," boomed Hecht. He had brought along a crate of delicatessen. He and Gene went to work on a liverwurst which looked like a policeman's club. Durante paled. I closed my eyes. When I opened them, Fowler was woifing down a dill pickle. I closed them again.

"Look, there's the Aquitania!" yelled Ben.

"Call me when ya see a bus," gasped Durante.

After lunch, the boys started fishing again. That's what they called it. Bait-drowning would be more accurate. Late in the afternoon, Jimmy and I got steady enough to take rods.

"Get in dere an' fight," Durante told his bait as dropped it in the water. A second later he screeched, "I gotta bite!" He cranked away as if he had Moby Dick on the line. He brought up a little fish and kept on reeling until it was at the tip of his pole. "What do I do now?" he hollered.

Fowler looked thoughtful. "You might climb up the rod and strangle it to death," he suggested.

The fish flopped itself off the hook and dropped back in.

Izaak Walton Hecht was disgusted. "Where did you learn to fish?" he sneered.

"Venice," said Durante, "where dey fish outa da windows."

"There's nothing around here," said Fowler, an hour later. "Let's go out further and try for sharks."

"WHY?" I screamed.

Nobody could think of an answer, so we headed back. When we got to the pier, Durante knelt and kissed the planks.

On the way home, we stopped at a fish store. Jimmy bought six flouders. Then he asked the proprietor to throw them at him, one at a time. "What's the big idea?" I asked him.

"I promised my wife I'd catch her some fish," smiled Schnozzola, "an' I don't believe in lyin' to da missus."

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# It Says Here

By BOB HOPE

The Army Airforce and the weather bureau are joining in a project to control the weather. They want to eliminate uncertainty on the part of motorists. The bureau could then make sure it would rain every time you got your car washed.

Then those easterners could enjoy the same wonderful weather we have here in California. Imagine sticking your hand out the window and breaking off a sun-tanned icicle.

And just picture palm trees growing on Broadway. The play critics wouldn't have to pan shows. They could climb the trees and drop coconuts on the heads of the actors as they walked out the stage door.

January in July. What variety it would add to life. On the fourth of July instead of getting hit by one of those holiday drivers you could slip on an icy sidewalk and break your neck.

How could the air force control the weather? Suppose that the people of Los Angeles asked for a white Christmas, they'd load a bunch of cows on a transport and fly them over the city while they were doing the rumba.

They hope to control the weather by shooting certain chemicals into the stratosphere. Wouldn't it be swell on picnics? You could shoot malts and hops into the sky and it would rain beer.

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# Advice To The Lovelorn

## Older Sister Sees Younger One Distressed And Wants To Do What She Can

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Famous Authority on Problems of Love and Marriage

When anyone asks me how he can help someone else solve an emotional problem, I am apt to warn against meddling in other people's affairs of the heart—or, for that matter, anyone else's business of any kind.

It is a little different, however, when an older sister sees a younger one distressed about something, and naturally wants to do what she can.

Here is the problem of one such sister, who, at 21, is happily married herself and anxious to make certain that her younger sister will be as happy as she.

She writes:

"Dear Miss Fairfax:

"My husband and I are at present living with my family and we are concerned about my younger sister, 18, who seems to be having trouble in her love life. She confides in me and I would like very much to be able to help her, so I have turned to you.

"My sister is very much in love with a fellow of 21. He seems to be a gentleman and full of fun, and apparently loves my sister as much as she loves him. My sister says that at times she feels she will lose him. When she gets these feelings, she doesn't eat and she stays up late thinking and talking about it. She says it is nothing that he says or does that makes her feel this way, but he is usually gay and there are times when he becomes very serious-minded and thinks a lot before he says anything. It is then, she says, that she feels so distant from him.

"The only explanation she can figure out to cause these spells of coldness, is her friends. They are not bad girls, but they give the impression of being rowdy and flirtatious because of the way they carry on. It seems that when this boy meets my sister's friends, he takes her for their type and seems to change for a while and then gets over it.

"I suggested to my sister that she associate with a different, more quiet set of girls and not give this fellow the wrong impression of her. She has not heeded my advice as yet.

"Would you please make a suggestion as to how my sister can convince this boy of her true nature and her real love for him? My husband and I both feel that it would be a shame if these two separated because there do not seem to be very many boys like this one left today.

"C. S."

I am sure, "C. S." that you must have heard the old saying that "A man is known by the company he keeps." And that goes just as much for a girl. If your sister is not the "rowdy and flirtatious" type, what is she doing going around with such girls? And how could you expect her boy friend to guess that she is a girl who prefers refined and cultured companions, if she chooses the other kind? That doesn't make sense.

Moreover, you say you have suggested to your sister that she choose companions of a different sort and that she has paid no attention to you. If she were truly anxious to show her boy friend that she is a worth-while type of girl, one would certainly think that she would not only follow your suggestion but would have thought of it herself some time ago. Her failure to do either makes me wonder if she is as anxious to impress this boy as you think. Most girls who are eager to stand in well with a boy will do everything possible to make themselves appear in a favorable light. Yet your sister keeps right on doing something that places her in an unfavorable one.

Another thing—why doesn't your sister ask this boy if he disapproves of her companions, if she thinks that is the reason for his "spells of coldness?" That seems to me only sensible.

I think you had better tell your sister that she would be wise to make up her mind what sort of friends she wants. If she prefers the "rowdy and flirtatious" sort, she had better give up any idea of attracting the sounder characters like this boy. And if, on the other hand, she believes the more solid type of citizen makes a more worthwhile companion, let her prove it. She'll never get anywhere, with this boy or any one, until she makes a choice and stays with it.

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## QUICKIES By KEN REYNOLDS

"Just as soon as I finish reading the Times-News Want Ads please!"

# Fellowship Of Prayer

## Daily Lenten Devotional

Prepared by DR. VERE V. LOPER

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### WIDE VISTAS

Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. Mark 16:15. Read Revelation 21:1-7.

The Bible begins its story in vast areas of time and space with God at work creating his universe. It reaches its conclusion on the same cosmic note, "I saw a new heaven and a new earth." Jesus was at home in these wide vistas. He dealt with a modest circle of men but envisaged the day when all men would be drawn to his cause. Because he belonged to the ages, he could wait as his victory beyond the grave unfolded its full consequences. He belonged to a small, ancient people, but he sent his followers in all the world to every creature.

Unless our thoughts can catch the sweep of his vision, much will escape us. We must "dip into the future, far as human eye" can see. We must catch not only one glimpse of the Promised Land but lift our heads daily from our task of the moment to the dream of millenniums. Each new discovery in the present universe, each aspiration for the loftier race, each moment when wider skies break on our view, bring us closer to him who died for generations yet unborn and for peoples of whom he never heard.

**Let Us Pray:** O God, who art the beginning and the end, bring forth into the large places of thy thought so that far horizons may be the backdrop of our daily endeavors. Help us to live in heaven each day. Extend thy tender care to our beloved dead who dwell with thee in eternity. Amen.

Sheep were first introduced into America in 1609, when they were brought to Virginia from England. By 1648, the numbers had increased to more than 3,000.

A room-seeking young resident of St. Catherine, Ont., speedily solved his problem with the following advertisement: "Having trouble buying soap flakes, lard or bacon? Young man working in large grocery establishment, requires room, breakfast and dinner six days a week, private home."


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# Mrs. J. Gordon Mitchell Heads Local Girl Scouts

## Mrs. Seymour Resigns To Reside In N. J.

Mrs. J. Gordon Mitchell has been appointed Commissioner of the Girl Scouts of Cumberland to replace Mrs. G. Wilbur Seymour, whose resignation will be effective March 1, it was announced last night by Mrs. Althea N. Correll, executive secretary of the local Girl Scouts.

Mrs. Mitchell has been active in local Girl Scouting for the past four years. She first served on the public relations committee and later served as a member of the council and as chairman of the program committee. Under her direction, the programs of the organization have been profitable and progressive, a scout executive said.

Mrs. Seymour, who resigned due to the fact that she is leaving Cumberland to reside in New Jersey, began her career in Girl Scouting as a troop committee woman of the Johnson Heights school troop in 1932. She later served as leader of the West Side School Brownie troop and since then has been active on several of the standing Scout committees. Prior to accepting the position of commissioner, Mrs. Seymour served as treasurer of the council and as deputy commissioner. She became commissioner in February 1946, upon the resignation of Mrs. Joseph Williams.

During the past year a record number of troop leaders have been secured for Brownie, Intermediate and Senior troops. Also, for the first time in a number of years the council has a full capacity of standing committees.

Members of the council are making plans for a luncheon to be held honoring Mrs. Seymour and Mrs Mitchell early next month at the Cumberland Country Club.

# Potentate's Ball, Reception To Be Held Tomorrow

Ali Ghan Temple will hold its annual ball honoring the Potentate and his Divan, tomorrow night at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club, with Harold C. Wickard serving as toastmaster.

The reception will be held at 6:30 and will be followed by a banquet at 6:45, at which time the Potentate will address the group.

Receiving guests with Leslie K. Spielman, Hagerstown, potentate, will be Mrs. Spielman, Mr. and Mrs. Wickard, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan C. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. C. Morris DeLauder, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flurshutz, Mr. and Mrs. William M Englehart, and Mr. and Mrs. William P. Rizer, members of the Divan and their wives.

Dancing will conclude the evening, with music by the Aristocrats from 9 until midnight. Approximately 300 guests are expected to attend.

# Allegany Hospital Aid Plans Rummage Sale

The Ladies Aid Society of Allegany Hospital formulated plans for a rummage sale at the meeting yesterday at the hospital. The sale will be held at 1 o'clock, March 1, at 119 North Centre street with Mrs. George Lyming and Mrs. A. H. Bennett as co-chairmen.

The group also decided to discontinue the social hour during Lent. Sewing on hospital supplies was the principal part of the meeting.


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# Allegany Hospital Senior Nurses Have Dinner Party

Members of the Allegany Hospital Senior September Class held a final get-together in the form of a dinner party last night at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club, prior to graduation as several of the girls are leaving Friday for their senior cadet period at veteran hospitals.

Class colors of blue and white were carried out in the flowers and candles.

Miss Wilda Ann Phillips, Miss Lois Kaese and Miss Rose Margaret Rice will complete their duties at Perry Point; and Miss Jean Rice, at Gallinger Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Others present were Miss Frances Arthur, Miss Ruby Bonner, Miss Betty Carter, Miss Mary Carmel Flook, Miss Winnie Griffin, Miss Frances Hill, Miss Doris Lee Huffman, Miss Alberta Ley, Miss Polly McDermott, Miss Bessie McKenzie, Miss Bernidette McKenzie, Miss Virginia Shaffer, Miss Rose Marie Stakem, Miss Catherine Stakem, Miss Loraine Pratt, Miss Betty Poorbaugh, Miss Mariam Miller, Miss Phyllis Valentine, Miss Doris Swarner and Miss Carmila Guarino, instructor of the class.

# Mr., Mrs. Purinton Will Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Earl Purinton will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary, March 3, and will be at home, informally, to their friends, Sunday, at their residence, 55 Oak street.

The former Miss Agnes Patton became the bride of Earl Purinton, Cumberland, son of the late Frank and Florence Purinton, Keyser, W. Va., March 3, 1897, at the home of her parents in Grafton, W. Va.

Following the ceremony Mr. Purinton brought his bride to Cumberland, where they have resided ever since. They are parents of three children, Russell Purinton, at home; Earl Purinton, Keyser; and Mrs. Florence Lamp, Buck Valley, Pa.

A conductor on the Third division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, Mr. Purinton's run was from Cumberland to Grafton. He retired about eight years ago. His hobby is gardening and raising strawberries on his farm in Buck Valley, where he spends his summers. He is a member of the B. and O. Veterans and both Mr. and Mrs. Purinton are members of the Trinity Methodist Church.

Mrs. Purinton's hobby is her home, with which she is too busy for outside activities.

Arab Emir and Sultan Abo el Kadar, 1807-83, fought fiercely against French power in Algeria.

**WED IN GEORGIA**—Mr. and Mrs. William G. Kroll are shown in the above picture in Glenn Memorial Chapel, Atlanta, Ga., following their wedding. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fortson, Atlanta; and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kroll, Gilmore.

# William G. Kroll Weds Miss Willie G. Fortson

## Ceremony Performed In Atlanta Chapel

Amid a setting of gladoll, ferns and candelabra, Miss Willie Fortson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fortson, Atlanta, Ga., became the bride of William G. Kroll, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kroll, Gilmore.

The ceremony was performed January 31, in the Glenn Memorial Chapel, Atlanta, Ga., with Rev. Mr. Newton, officiating. Miss Louise Fortson was her sister's maid of honor; William Stott, brother-in-law of the bride, served as best man and the ushers were William Fortson and Roy Gallinger, brother and brother-in-law of the bride.

A program of nuptial music was presented by George Davis, and included "I Love You Truly," and "Because," accompanied by Miss Bane Smith at the organ.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a powder blue suit, with which she wore navy accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of orchids. Her maid of honor wore a light green suit, with brown accessories and a corsage of Talisman rosebuds.

Mrs. Fortson chose a grey crepe with black accessories for her daughter's wedding. With it she wore a corsage of pink rosebuds.

The bride is a graduate of Commercial High School, Atlanta, and was employed in the district office of F. W. Woolworth. The bridegroom is a veteran of about three years service in the army and is employed as manager of the Llewellyn Dairy, Midland.

Miss Alma Kroll, Midland, and Miss Ethel Kroll, Gilmore, attended the wedding.

Mr. Kroll and his bride have returned to Gilmore and are residing with his parents.

# Personals

Mr. and Mrs. James DeWitt Sloan have returned from their wedding trip to North Carolina, and are residing with the former's parents, former Judge and Mrs. D. Lindley Sloan, The Dingle.

Mrs. Leah B. Twigg, Flintstone, fractured her wrist in a fall last Friday.

Mrs. C. A. Grimes, 453 Central avenue is a patient in Allegany Hospital.

French Sensabaugh is a patient in Memorial Hospital, where he is improving after undergoing an operation.

M. Sgt. James E. Stakem, son of Mrs. Alice Stakem, 219 Schley Street, has been transferred from overseas to Oliver General Hospital at Augusta, Ga.

Miss Veronica Kompanek, who is employed by the Associated Press in Washington, D. C., will return to Washington this afternoon after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kompanek, 511 Pearre Avenue. She will leave Washington Friday by plane for Texas where she will spend her vacation.

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If you enjoy warm temperature in your house in winter, moths do the same, so it is a good idea to brush, clean, sun and air your woolens and furs to dislodge any moth eggs or larvae.

# Women's Clubs To Hold Convention In N. Y. June 23-28.

Miss Elizabeth Lloyd Lowndes will attend the annual convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, to be held in the Commodore Hotel, New York City, June 23-28.

The Washington headquarters calls attention to the fact that the meeting is being held at the gateway of the United Nations' center of operations on behalf of which they are carrying on an elaborate educational program.

Among the first women speakers to be announced are Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and Mrs. Vera Micheles Dean, research director of the Foreign Policy Association. Topics will concern the United Nations, UNESCO, the Peace Treaty and other current domestic problems and various interests directed by the departments of work; Citizenship, American Home, Education, Fine Arts, International Relations, Legislation, Post War Planning, Public Welfare and Peace Service.

Headquarters also announces that the federation is already supporting in this Congress the International Trade Organization including opposition to the postponement of the Preparatory committee meeting in Geneva; the International Refugee Organization; National Representation for the District of Columbia; the Equal Rights Amendment; the Public Library Demonstration bill and other educational legislation in accordance with policies outlined in resolutions previously adopted.

# Events In Brief

The Relief Sewing group of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 9 this morning in the church house.

The executive board of the Womans' Association of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 1:30 today in the church house.

Cresaptown Visitation-Evangelism workers will meet at the parsonage at 1 today for assignments. A covered dish supper will be held at 5:30 and reports will be made.

The Men's Class of the First Baptist Church will meet at 7:30 tomorrow night at the church.

The Spiritual Life Group of First Presbyterian Church will meet at 8:20 tonight in the church house.

Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong will be hostess to members of the Rawlings WSCS at 7:30 tomorrow night.

The A. E. L. Sisterhood will meet at the home of Mrs. Sue Lewis, Cresaptown, at 7:30 tomorrow night.

The Red Cross sewing group of the Vera Blinn Society will meet at the home of Mrs. John S. Cook, Bowling Green, chairman, tomorrow.

The American Home Group of the Woman's Civic Club will meet at 2 tomorrow afternoon, at the home of Miss Elizabeth L. Lowndes. Rev. David Watson will be the speaker.

A Cathedral film, "Child of Bethlehem," will be shown tomorrow night in conjunction with the Lenten service at Eckhart Methodist Church.

Star of the East Sisterhood, No 111, Dames of Malta will meet at 7:30 tomorrow night at Junior Order hall.

The Past Presidents Club of the VFW Auxiliary will meet tomorrow night with Mrs. Rachael Imes, Mrs. Elizabeth Halley and Mrs. Alice Miller as hostesses.

The Cresap Homemakers Club will meet at 9:30 a. m., tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Herbert Heineman, Cresap Park.

A ham supper will be held under the sponsorship of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Baltimore Pike Fire Company from 5 until 8 tomorrow night in the fire hall.

The Adelphia Bible Class of First Christian Church will meet at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Ray L. Henthorne, 718 Frederick street, at 7:30 tomorrow night.

The Frances E. Willard Bible Class of Kingsley Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ada Minnicks, 727 Hill Top drive at 8 tomorrow night. Mrs. Ruth Shade will be co-hostess.


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# Lambda Chapter Plans Ritual And Dinner

## Outlines Program On Drama For March

Maryland Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority formulated plans for the Ritual of Jewels, a dinner and cultural program, at the meeting last night at the Girl Scout Little House, with Miss Lillian Boughton presiding.

The formal Ritual of Jewels will be held in conjunction with the Omricron Chapter, April 30, at Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

The next meeting will be held March 11 in the form of a dinner at the Central YMCA. At which time the report of the Nominating committee will be given. Miss Alta Earl was named chairman of the decorations.

Plans were discussed for giving a play entitled, "Waitin' for the Train," as the cultural program on Drama, at the meeting March 25. Members taking part will be Miss Catherine Lippold, Miss Patricia Lynch, Miss Betty Hare, Miss Dorothy Scott, Miss Virginia Ward and Mrs. Wilbur Parker.

Reports were also given on the sale of "everyday" greeting cards.

Miss Lippold conducted a study of "Invitation To Life," stressing the traditions of the sorority, it's colors and flower, in preparation for the rushee.

Members attending were Miss Martha Lee Heron, Miss Virginia Ward, Miss Earl, Mrs. Parker, Miss Charlotte Hartsock, Miss Scott, Miss Mildred Blades, Miss Christine Lamp, Miss Lynch, Miss Eleanor Albright, Miss Hare, Miss Verna Grove, Mrs. William Pomeroy, Miss Phyllis McElfish, Miss Mary Alice Lookenott and Miss Elizabeth Glavish.

# Sisterhood To Mark Anniversary

The Sisterhood of B'er Chayim Temple will celebrate its 71st anniversary with a luncheon and program at 1 today at the Cumberland Country Club.

Greetings will be extended by the president of the Sisterhood and representatives of various organizations of the temple, and Beth Jacob Sisterhood.

A program of music and pantomime, depicting six decades of the Sisterhood, will feature the program.

The committee in charge of arrangements includes Mrs. Morton Peskin, chairman, Mrs. Lee Lichtenstein and Mrs. Harry Pinsky.

# VFW Auxiliary Gives To Red Cross And Greek Relief

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars met last night and voted donations to two organizations, with Mrs. Florine Rinker presiding.

A contribution of $25 was made to the Red Cross and $5 for Greek Relief.

A letter of appreciation for the furniture for the Maryland cottage at the national home at Eaton Rapids, Mich., was read. It was also reported that it arrived in good condition.

The nomination of officers will be held March 11 and election will be held at the meeting March 25.

Approximately 50 members attended the meeting.


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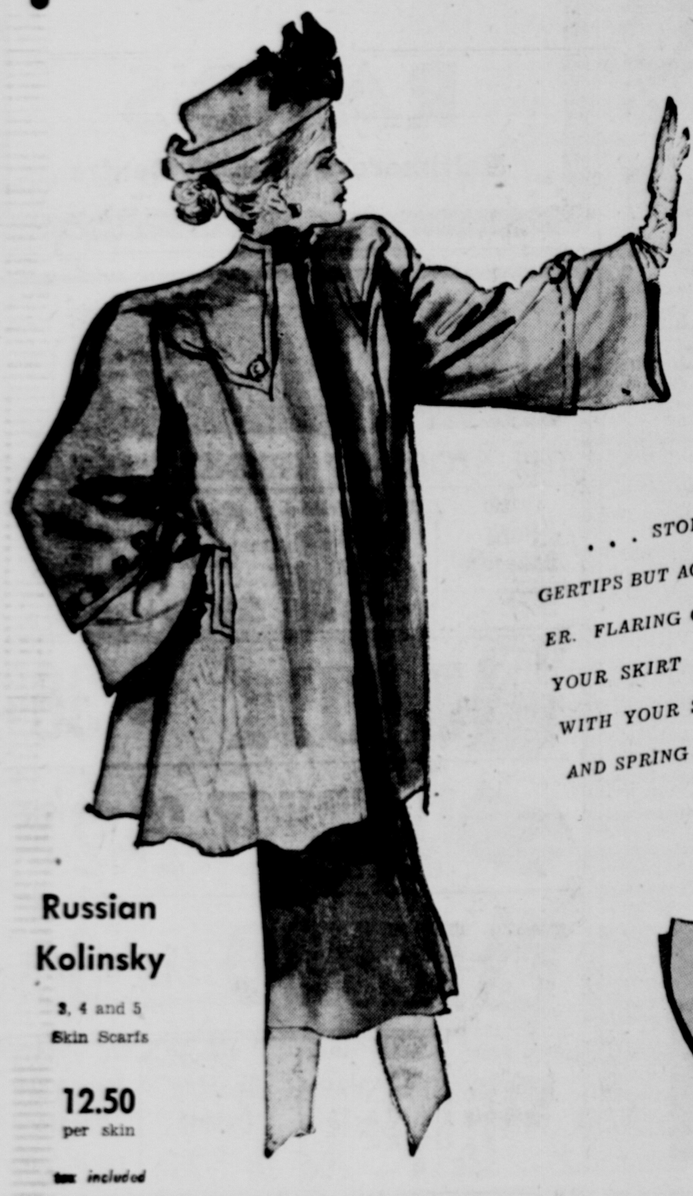
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A benefit dance, sponsored by the Western Maryland Motor Club, will be held at the Ali Ghan City Club, South Centre street, tonight. It will be semi-formal with Kenny Gray's orchestra playing from 9 until 1 o'clock.

Open to the public, the dance is to raise funds to help defray expenses of sending members of the School Patrol to Washington, for the national meeting, early in May. Between 200 and 300 boys and girls are expected to make the trip.

Tickets may be procurred at the door or from any member of the committee, which includes Hugo Keller, president and chairman, Kinsey A. Wolfe, Daniel D'Amicol, Harold Blume and Mrs. Mary Grimes.

## Mapleside Club To Mark 13th Anniversary

Plans for the thirteenth anniversary of the Mapleside Homemakers Club were formulated and chairmen announced at the meeting of the club earlier in the week, at the home of Mrs. August Bealky, St. Mary's Avenue.

Mrs. Arthur G. Arthur will be hostess for the celebration, March 20, at 11:30, at her home, Ridgedale Avenue.

Mrs. Harry Brotemarkle, recently elected president, and first president of the club, has appointed Mrs. F. A. Parker, parliamentarian; Mrs. Harold Bishop, Membership chairman; Mrs. Bernard Fleigle, Fair; Mrs. Brotemarkle, Historian; Mrs. Harry Morin, Publicity; Mrs. Arthur, Welfare; Mrs. F. R. Brotemarkle, RWSC; Mrs. Madge Wharton, Reading; Mrs. LeRoy Jewell and Mrs. Leo Darr, Peace; Mrs. George Burdett, Music; Mrs. Ray VanHorn, Recreation; Mrs. V. D. Hinkle, Mrs. Clyde Wolford, Clothing; Mrs. John Clancy, Home Furnishing; Mrs. VanMeter, Home Management; Mrs. J. R. Smith, Nutrition and Health and Mrs. John Wempe, Garden.

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## Nurses Get Swank Styles

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New uniforms, created by a New York designer, are expected to spur the current drive for 8,000 Public Health Nurses throughout the United States.

The uniforms, some of which are pictured here, are the first national uniform for the Public Health Nursing agencies, which include Visiting Nurse Associations, school nurses, some nurses employed by Red Cross agenices, and some employed by industrial firms. Heretofore each agency had its own uniform.

The costumes include a blue and white seersucker dress and suit for summer; a navy serge suit with the new longer jacket; a navy poplin all-season dress; a year-round coat of navy cravenetted gabardine, with zip-in lining of fireman red flannel. Also included are a white coverall apron, fitted bag of navy leather, short-sleeve blouse to wear with either summer or winter suit and a classic hat of navy felt.

## Helen Clare Davis Is Elected To Societies

Penn Hall Junior College, Chambersburg, Pa., has announced that Miss Helen Clare Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David T. Davis, 217 Washington street, has been elected to two National Honor Societies, Phi Theta Kappa and Kappa Zeta, for scholastic excellence.

A freshman at the college, Miss Davis was also an honor student at Penn Hall Preparatory school, where she graduated last June.

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## BEAUTY IS AS BEAUTY DOES

By BETTY CLARKE
AP Newsfeatures Beauty Editor

Makeup can be magic if it is used with skill. It won't do you any good to have the world's best and most expensive cosmetics if you don't know how to use them. And

there are definite techniques in applying makeup so that you won't look giddy with color.

Street makeup is about the most difficult to handle even for a professional makeup artist. Changes in light can make you look positively bilious if you don't use color deftly.

You wouldn't, for instance, make up for a walk in the park painted in the bright pomades you would use for a dance at the club. But there are ways to makeup for a walk, a shopping jaunt or for an outdoor sport that will give you a glowing look.

First scrub your face with soap and water (unless your skin is exceptionally dry). Then apply some face oil such as vegetable oil. Leave it on your skin for about 10 or 15 minutes, blot it off with tissue. Now take a bit of cream rouge—if you don't have a shade to match your lipstick, use your lipstick as rouge. Apply it to your cheekbone in three small dots making a triangle. Rub it up toward your eye and out toward your temple.

Powder your face lightly, apply lipstick and blot off the excess with tissue. Remember that the blue-red lipsticks are perfect for spring and for sunny winter days but on bleak cold days they will make you look blue lipped and cold. You'll do better with a clear red lipstick on a wintry day.

If you are young enough to look like a schoolgirl without makeup, skip the powder and rouge and apply your lipstick directly after your face oil bath.

Corn cobs are an essential material in the manufacture of ball and roller bearings, according to SKF Industries, Inc., which uses the rural produce to dry and polish the steel devices prior to final inspection.

The bazooka gun is not so modern in design, being fashioned somewhat after the hand gun of a 15th century soldier.

## Delta Theta Chi Has Illustrated Talk On Symphony

Miss Dorothy Willison addressed members of Delta Theta Chi on "Appreciation of Symphony," at the meeting of the sorority Monday night at Central YMCA.

Naming and describing the instruments, which compose a symphony orchestra, she listed them as string instruments, wood wind, brass and percussion instruments. Miss Willison explained that in the string section are the violins, usually occupying the front of the stage; then violas and cellos; while at the back of the stage are the bass viols.

The wood wind, oboe and bassoon, clarinet and English horn are usually placed just back of the violins, Miss Willison said, then the brass section, composed of French horn, bass tuba and cornet, while the various percussion instruments are situated at the rear.

A composer, the speaker explained, develops a simple theme into a symphony, usually with four movements. These she listed as a simple statement or introduction of the theme or subject; the second movement develops this theme by many means, by harmony and counter harmony, by giving it to first one instrument and then another and by variations; the third movement is recapitulation of the theme in a majestic manner; and the fourth, a summary of the first three and blending of them.

Symphonies are not named by the composers, but are designed by number, Miss Willison said, they frequently are nicknamed as for example, "The Unfinished Symphony." In concluding she pointed out that the different movements comprising the symphony are designated by terms indicating the manner in which they are to be played, whether fast, slow, soft or loud.

Miss Willison illustrated her talk by playing Caesar Frank's symphony in D minor, which will be the second number the National Symphony Orchestra will play here March 17, under the direction of Hans Kindler. Other selections on the March 17th program will be Overture from "Marriage of Figaro," Etude, Scarabin; and "Capriccio Espagnole," Rimskey Korsakoff.

## ACE To Give Public Card Party Tomorrow

A benefit card party will be held by the Association of Childhood Education tomorrow night in St. Mary's Catholic Church hall, Oldtown Road. Bridge, 500 and set back will be played, refreshments served and prizes awarded.

Miss Catherine Laughlin and Miss Mabel Twigg are co-chairmen and are being assisted by a committee including Miss Nellie Thomas, Miss Esther Carter, Miss Margaret Beck, Miss Mildred Beck and Miss Margaret Doak.

## Shaft Club Marks Ninth Anniversary

The Shaft Homemakers Club celebrated its ninth anniversary earlier in the week, at the home of Mrs. Bessie McKenzie. A donation of $5 was voted to the Red Cross.

The program was presented under the direction of Mrs. Conrad Kroll and Mrs. Bertie Clark and Mrs. Edward Smith, members of the Midland Club, gave readings.

## STEPS TOWARD HAPPINESS

AP Newsfeatures

SCRANTON, Pa. — Mrs. Frank Cerra, 33-year-old blind mother of three children, is taking new steps

toward happiness—she's learning to dance.

Determined not to be discouraged by her loss of sight, she outlined a program of normal living and included dancing.

With her first evening gown boasting an orchid corsage, Mrs. Cerra drove to the dance with her husband. She admits it "was fun" and hopes to be a regular devotee of art of tripping the light fantastic.

Mrs. Cerra has been blind since 1939, the result of an optic hemorrhage.

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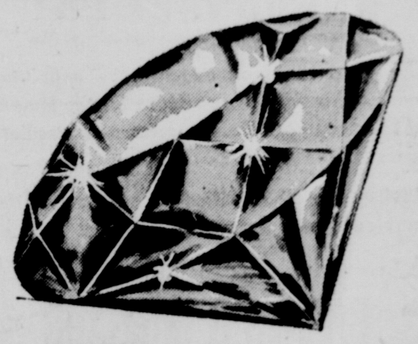

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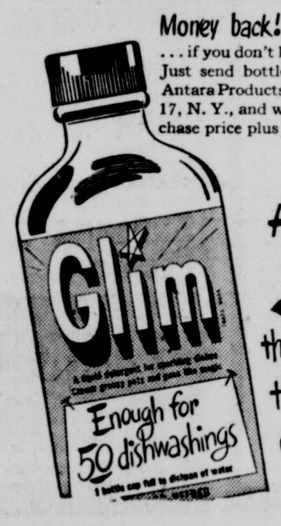


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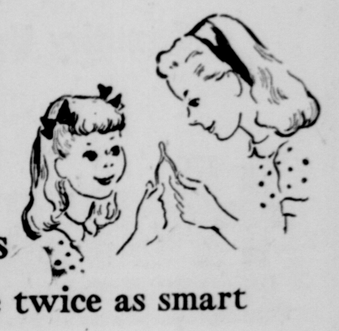

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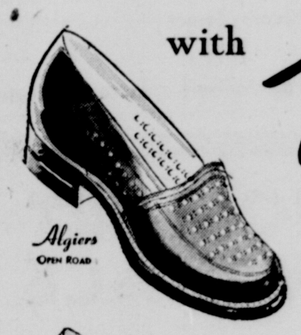

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# Poll Shows American Thinking Has Shifted On Lowering Voting Age

## Sentiment High In War Is Off Now

By DR. GEORGE GALLUP
Director, American Institute of Public Opinion

PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 25 — Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg's recent proposal that the voting age be dropped to 18 does not at the present time have the support of the voting public.

A poll of the nation finds a majority opposed to having any change in the voting laws to that citizens 18, 19, and 20 years of age have the right to vote.

Today's findings show a marked shift in public opinion since 1943, when sentiment favoring allowing the younger people a vote was at its height.

The feeling prevailing at that time—during the war—was that if a man was old enough to be drafted into the army to fight, he was also old enough to cast a vote. A majority in the poll said we should give the 18-year-olds the right to vote.

Present opposition to any lowering of the voting age is not confined to any one group or any particular section of the country, although opposition to the idea is found to be lightest in the South.

Georgia, under Governor Ellis Arnall, reduced its voting age to 18 in a special state referendum held during 1943.

A move to lower the voting age in New Mexico to 18 was introduced in the Legislature there by Senator Burton Roach. In a recent test, his resolution fell two votes short of the three-fourths majority necessary for passage. A similar measure was defeated in the House there.

Present public sentiment on the issue throughout the nation is measured by the Institute as follows:

**"At the present time, American citizens cannot vote until they become 21 years of age. Would you favor changing the law to allow persons 18, 19, and 20 years old to vote?"**

The replies:

| | |
|---|---|
| Yes | 35% |
| No | 60 |
| No Opinion | 5 |

Back in 1939 when the Institute measured public attitudes toward lowering the voting age, opposition to the idea was overwhelming.

In January, of 1943, with this nation at war and with 18-year-olds being drafted for service in the armed forces, opposition toward lowering the voting age was diminishing, and by September of the same year, a slight majority were found favoring a change.

The trend of thinking on the question:

| | Yes | No | No Opin. |
|---|---|---|---|
| June, 1939 | 17% | 79% | 4% |
| Jan., 1943 | 39 | 52 | 9 |
| April, 1943 | 42 | 52 | 6 |
| Sept., 1943 | 52 | 42 | 6 |
| TODAY | 35 | 60 | 5 |

Poll results analayzed by sections and for major population groups in the tables below:

| POLITICAL | Yes | No | No Opin. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Democrats | 37% | 58% | 5% |
| Republicans | 33 | 63 | 4 |

| SECTIONS | Yes | No | No Opin. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New England & Middle Atlantic | 32% | 63% | 5% |
| East Central | 38 | 58 | 4 |
| West Central | 35 | 61 | 4 |
| South | 37 | 53 | 10 |
| Mountain States & Pacific Coast | 31 | 61 | 3 |

| AGES | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 21-29 Years | 34 | 62 | 4 |
| 30-49 Years | 39 | 57 | 4 |
| 50 Years & Over | 31 | 63 | 6 |

| EDUCATION | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| College | 31 | 66 | 3 |
| High School | 34 | 62 | 4 |
| Grammar School or Less | 37 | 57 | 6 |

Carl Linnaeus, the man who know from memory the scientific names of thousands of plants and animals, could not recall his own name at the time of his death.

## Cattle Rustlers Busy In Germany

BERLIN, (AP)—Cattle rustling has gone modern in postwar Germany, where it is waged by German blackmarketers out to replenish their illegal meat stocks.

Allied occupation forces have come across these modern racketeers who raid farms traveling in trucks, roundup several head of cattle, slaughter them on the spot and fling the carcasses into their trucks.

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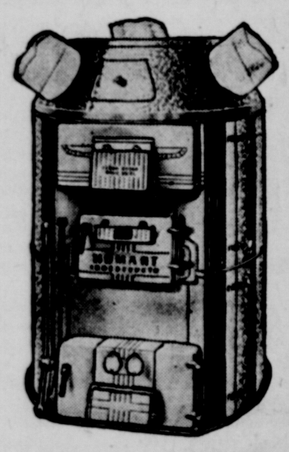

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| 6.95 Tilt Top Card Tables | 4.95 |
| 8.75 Telephone Table and Bench | 4.75 |
| 7.95 Metal Clothes Hampers | 4.50 |
| 2.95 Rag Rugs, 24x44 | 1.49 |
| 2.69 Oval Braided Rugs, 20x36 | 1.49 |
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# Commissioners Approve Sanitary District Measure

## Enabling Act To Be Sent To Annapolis

The Board of Allegany County Commissiners yesterday unanimously approved a proposed enabling act to set up sanitary districts within the county and submit the act to the Maryland General Assembly for passage.

Commissioner William H. Lemmert made the motion to approve the bill and seconded by Commissioner James Holmes, with Board President, Commissioner Charles N. Wilkinson Jr., approving.

A large delegation of citizens from all parts of the county appeared in behalf of the enabling act, and its purpose was explained in detail.

The act provides that the County Board will name three commissioners to serve as a sanitary commission and that two of the commissioners shall be paid not more than $900 each and the chairman a maximum of $1,200 annually. The commissioners shall be citizens and taxpayers of Allegany County.

The purpose of the act is to set up within the county certain sanitary districts outside the City of Cumberland, and to empower the Sanitary Commission to establish, buy, construct or otherwise ecquire necessary sewage, water and drainage systems and facilities.

J. Milton Dick, former minority leader of the House of Delegates, a leader in the move to set up the system, outlined the benefits of the project, which was also supported by civic leaders from a number of county areas.

Dr. Winter R. Frantz, assistant county health officer, likewise stressed the advantages of the system in promoting better health conditions in smaller communities of the county. The three judges of the Orphans' Court also appeared in support of the plan. They are Chief Judge J. French Van Meter, Cresaptown; Judge Hugh Stevenson, Ellerslie, and Judge William C. Abbott, Lonaconing.

Commissioner Wilkinson said he had been county sanitary inspector for several years and "fully realizes" the necessity of the system. Commissioners Lemmert and Holmes also declared they have long been in favor of some action to remedy present conditions.

Others who appeared in support of the proposed act were William J. Chappell, Barton; Herbert O. Heineman, Cresaptown; B. T. Coulehar and Clarence Liller, Potomac Park; M. G. Thompson and Charle. Simpson, LaVale; Kenneth Crowe Frostburg; Raymond Layman Shaft; Joseph Starkey, Corriganville, and Dr. William E. Moseley Mt. Savage.

It was indicated that the act, if enacted at Annapolis, would take effect upon the date of its passage, and members of the sanitary board named within a few weeks.

**HIGHER THAN FENCES**—Shown here is a typical Allegany County snow scene showing snow piles seven feet high where county snow plows removed deep drifts on the Bean's Cove Road. This secondary road, one of a score opened after county men and equipment worked as long as 20 hours at a stretch, was cleared for about a mile from the highway yesterday and further work on this and other roads will continue today, officials indicated.

# DEATHS

**MRS. MARIAN HOOVER**

Mrs. Marian E. Hoover, widow of Abraham D. Hoover, died early last night at her home, 202 Maple Street, Mapleside, after a long illness.

She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Surviving are a son, Shannon Hoover, and a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Fahey, both at home, and six grandchildren.

**JOSEPH BROOKMAN, JR.**

Joseph A. Brookman, Jr., 20, a student at St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia, died last night at 7:30 o'clock at his home in Philadelphia.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Brookman, Sr., of that city. His father was a native of Cumberland and left here about 20 years ago.

Among the survivors are two aunts, Mrs. Vincent Becker and Mrs. R. B. Browning, both of this city.

**JAMES WILLIAMS RITES**

A funeral service for James Russell Williams, 49, 511 Louisiana avenue, retired B. and O. brakeman, who died Monday in Memorial Hospital, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home. Rev. Joseph W. Young will officiate and interment will be in Greenmount Cemetery.

**BURKHART BABY DIES**

William Howard Burkhart, infant son of Howard and Kathleen Clark Burkhart, Route 1, Ridgeley, W. Va., died yesterday morning in Memorial Hospital. The child was born January 30.

A funeral service will be conducted today at 2 p. m. in the Stein Funeral Home by Rev. Vernon Shanholtz and burial will be in Hillcrest Burial Park.

**CHARLES SLONAKER RITES**

A funeral service for Charles Spencer Slonaker, 54, Route 3, Pleasant Road, who died of a gunshot wound Saturday night, was conducted yesterday afternoon in the Hafer Funeral Home by Rev. Richard L. Bready, pastor of Centennial Methodist Church. Burial was in Union Grove Cemetery.

Pallbearers, members of Nest No. 90, Order of Owls, were Eugene Davalli, Samuel Moreland, Boyd Harper, Charles Sims, Leslie Pritchard and Louis Bagatti.

**EMIL KRAMPF RITES**

A funeral service for Emil Henry Krampf, 64, 427 Walnut street, who died suddenly Saturday afternoon, was conducted yesterday afternoon in the Kight Funeral Home. Dr. H. Hall Sharp, pastor of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, officiated and burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers were William Schneider, Floyd Boggs, Bernard, Conrad and James Yost and Charles McKenzie.

**JOSEPH CARBINE RITES**

A funeral service for F. Joseph Carbine, 75, who died suddenly at his home, 73 Greene street, was held yesterday morning in St. Patrick's Catholic Church. Rev. Michael J. Carney, of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, Baltimore, was the celebrant of the requiem mass and interment was in SS. Peter and Paul Cemetery.

Pallbearers were James, Frank and Thomas Mullaney, Walter Lippold, John T. Hughes and Thomas Carbine.

**MRS. LYONS RITES**

A funeral service for Mrs. Fannie Lyons, 47, wife of Tony Lyons, Green Spring, W. Va., who died Saturday in Memorial Hospital, was conducted yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home.

Rev. Sumner Sawyer officiated and interment was in Camp Hill Cemetery, Paw Paw, W. Va. Pallbearers were Thomas Brown, James C. Wilson, Garland Morley, John Smith, Albert Holland and Charles Whetzel.

**JACOB MILLER RITES**

A brief funeral service for Jacob Miller, 67, 214 Spring street, a local painter, who died Sunday in Allegany Hospital, will be conducted tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock in the Stein Funeral Home. Burial will be in SS. Peter and Paul Cemetery.

## Bruce Sees No Danger Of Spring Flood

Although the recent heavy snowfall set a record at Lake Gordon of 16 inches on the level, C. J. Bruce, superintendent of the Evitts Creek Water Company, said yesterday there is no danger of floods unless there is an unprecedented amount of snow over a long period in the future.

Bruce said that with the exception of the recent snowstorm, there has not been much snow this winter and consequently it is not packed down in the mountains, where it would not melt until heavy spring rains come.

Parker Cleveland, born at Rowley, Mass., in 1780, died at Brunswick, Me., 78 years later, was given the title of father of American mineralogy.

## Negro Girl Held On Theft Charge

A Negro girl, booked as Nina A. Brown, 18, 156 Wineow street, was committed to the County Jail in default of $200 bond for grand jury action in connection with the theft of $48 after she waived a preliminary hearing in Trial Magistrates Court yesterday.

Police said she admitted taking the money from the office of the Electric Service Company, 188 Wineow Street, last Thursday. She was arrested Monday after Lt. James E. Van and Officer P. M. Crabtree saw her in the Silver Grill on North Mechanic street and called her outside.

Walter Ravenscroft, Midland, was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction on a charge of assaulting his wife, Mrs. Dora Ravenscroft, for the second time since last July. He filed notice of an appeal.

Ravenscroft, who pleaded not guilty to assaulting his wife last Friday, received a suspended sentence of six months on July 6, 1946, on a charge of assaulting his wife.

## Annulment Suit Filed In Circuit Court

A suit for annulment was filed in Circuit Court yesterday by Amerigo Mattie, brother and next friend for Sarah Jean Mattie Mark, petitioning the Court to dissolve her marriage to Bernard William Mark, this city and formerly of Brownsville, Pa.

The petition alleges that the petitioner's sister was married to Mark in Cumberland June 5, 1946, but the marriage was not consumated and she returned to her home at Grindstone, Fayette county, Pa. It is also alleged that Mark was 24 years of age and the girl 16.

A suit for divorce was filed by James F. McIntoch from Evelyn N. McIntoch, and custody of four minor children.

## Seymour Is Appointed Research Lab Official

G. Wilbur Seymour, McDonald Terrace, superintendent of chemical research at the Amcelle plant of the Celanese Corporation of America, has been appointed assistant director of the company's physical research laboratory at Summit, N. J., Fred T. Small, plant manager, announced last night.

Mr. Saymour is one of the group of chemists at the Amcelle plant who will leave here soon to staff the newly established laboratory which will concentrate the company's technological and research activities in the fields of textile plastics and chemicals in a single laboratory. Control laboratories, however, will remain here.

# News Briefs

A special meeting of Algonquin Post No. 2, Legion of Guardsmen, will be held at the post home at 8 o'clock tonight when the recreation program will be discussed and committee reports made. Members of the ball club of post members who want to try out for baseball and softball teams are urged to be present. Refreshments will be served.

C. E. Stutzman, business manager of Local 453, Teamsters Union, said drivers of Johnny's Cabs will meet at the union hall Friday at 7 a. m. to take action upon a company offer for a new contract.

A program of instrumental and vocal music has been arranged by the program chairman for tonight's meeting of the Cumberland Optimist Club, at 6:15 o'clock in Central YMCA, according to I. N. Evans, secretary.

John G. Cook, Frostburg, who was reported seriously ill in Memorial Hospital last week, is improving.

The Maryland Tuberculosis Association has scheduled chest clinics for Allegany County at City Hall starting at 9 a. m. Friday, March 14; Wednesday, March 26, and Thursday, March 27. A clinic will be held in Garrett County at the Oakland health office on Wednesday, March 12, at 9 a. m.

The Evitts Creek Water Company will meet Wednesday, March 5, at 2:30 p. m. in the office of Mayor Thomas S. Post.

South End Company No. 2 answered a false alarm at 9:50 a. m. yesterday at the home of E. T. Dicken, 712 Glenmore Street. The water in the furnace boiled dry, after a valve stuck, and the house was filled with smoke, firemen said.

## Floor Show To Feature B & O Dance Friday

Students of Miss Mary Katherine Steckman will present a floor show Friday night as an entertainment feature of the dance sponsored by Queen City Lodge No. 885, International Association of Machinists Helpers, according to M. R. Barrett.

Miss Steckman is planning a music and dance program in keeping with the ocacsion, the 120th anniversary of the granting of the charter to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. The dance will be held Friday from 9 until 1 o'clock in the Queen City Hotel Ballroom.

For the convenience of members and their friends, Barrett said, tickets have been made available in the Good Fellowship Club and the South End Republican Club, Virginia avenue.

## Revival Opens Here

Revival services are now in progress at the Church of God, 411 Maryland Avenue, with Evangelist P. C. Stewart, Tulsa, Okla., the speaker each evening at 7:30 o'clock. The meetings opened last Sunday and will continue through March 16.

Evangelist Stewart has served as a missionary to Cuba and during the past 10 years has preached in 40 of the nation's states.

## Long To Be Recommended For Recreation Board

Stating that he will ask members of the City Council for their recommendations regarding the appointment of a five-man recreation board at a meeting of the Mayor and Council Friday morning to pass the payroll, Mayor Thomas S. Post said yesterday he will recommend the appointment of John J. Long, LaSalle High School coach.

The mayor also said he hopes to guard against the possibility of any individual or groups of individuals turning the new board into a "political football" since "politics should be kept out of the recreation program."

Mayor Post said he will ask council members on Friday whether they have any additional suggestions for other legislation concerning the city.

Commissioner William V. Keegan, who also said recreation must be kept out of politics, stated he went to Baltimore over the weekend to confer with Michael F. Kelley, executive secretary of the Eastern Community Council, Incorporated. Kelley spoke here February 12, describing the recreation program which he directs in the Patterson Park section of Baltimore.

Keegan said the first need is to provide activities for children to keep them off the streets. Later, he said, a program for adult recreation could be set up.

## Textile To Hold Installation Friday

Newly elected officers of 1874, Textile Workers Union of America, CIO, will be installed Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in the union hall, North Mechanic Street, Lewis "Red" Chaney, acting chairman of the local's special activities committee, reported last night. An installation dance will be held, beginning at 9 a. m. in Woodmen Hall.

Chaney said an official of the national office will be here to obligate the officers, adding that Wesley Cook, assistant director of the rayon director, or Boyd Payton, regional TWUA director, may be here.

## Lenten Service Tonight At First Methodist

Rev. Joseph W. Young, pastor of Mapleside Church, will deliver the sermon at the mid-week Lenten service at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the First Methodist Church, Bedford street. His subject will be "Jesus Passeth By".

Rev. James Richards, pastor will sing a solo and a special number will be offered by the church choir. Rev. Richards said there were 120 people at last week's service and over 300 at the church service Sunday night.


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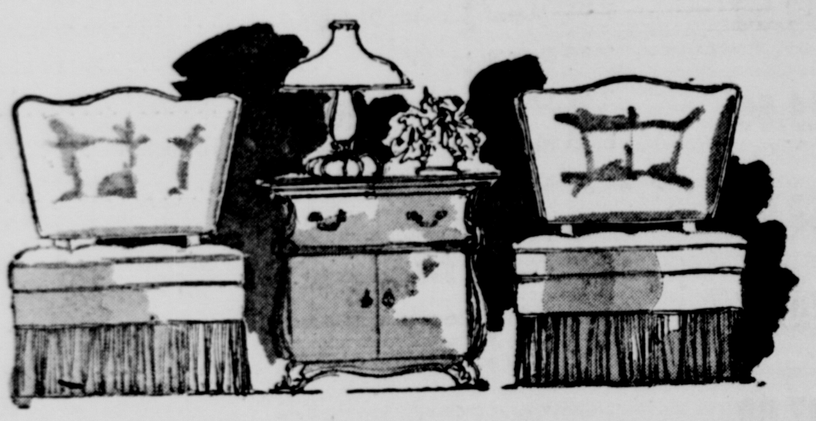

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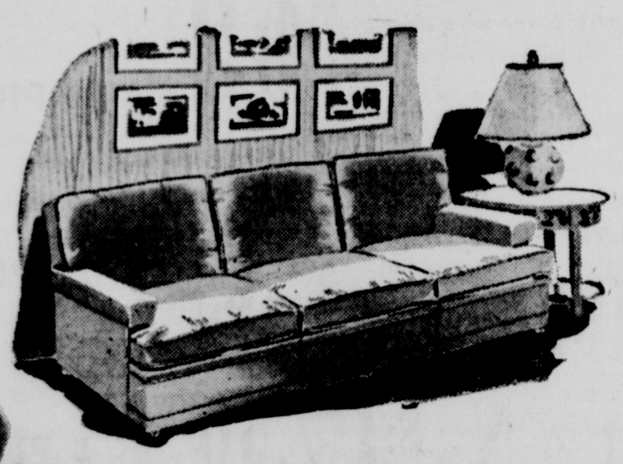

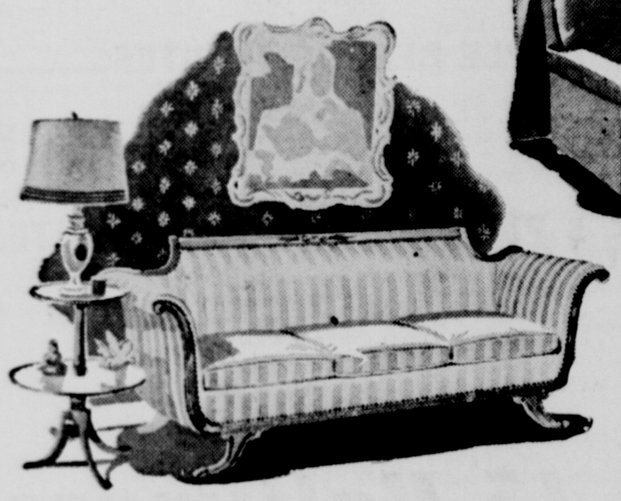

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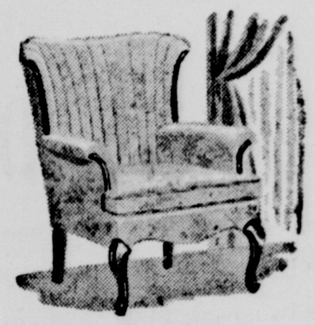

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# Listen World

By ELSIE ROBINSON

**BELIEVE IN SOMETHING**

Grove Patterson has been one of my favorite persons over many a happy year. I know of no man who so simply yet powerfully portrays our common human conflict. Recently, in a collection of his works, he quoted Raymond Swing of San Francisco. At one time Mr. Swing said to him these unforgettable words:—

**"I should rather believe in something and be wrong than not believe in it and be right."**

Most of us are profoundly convinced that we believe in a great many things. As a matter of fact we believe in almost nothing. We are a mass of prejudices, fears, suspicions, inherited notions and acquired habits. But we seldom believe in any one thing truly and deeply. We have seldom thought any one thing through to the end.

And that, more than any other reason, is why so many of us are mediocrities or downright failures.

**A person who believes in something enthusiastically and vehemently stands out like a great light. His ideas may irritate you. You may utterly disapprove of him. But he is a personality, and a personality is as different from an ordinary human being as a boiled cabbage.**

The first step toward being a distinct individual is to believe in something. It may be a very trivial thing, but put all your wallop behind it. Do to that idea what women do to their hair and faces and nails. The average woman is just a hodge-podge of features but she manages to make herself distinctive by an unusual hair do, some trick of the eyebrows or some expressive motion of the hands. Result—instead of being just an ordinary Katie—she becomes a Person.

Dare to do that with your mind. Select some idea and make it an individual cause or campaign. Believe in it with everything you have. Don't read it out of a book. Don't take anyone's word for it. Select it from the daily run of human experience and brand it with your own copyright. And, having done so, stick to it.

Don't be too shrill about it nor too firm in your refusal to compromise. But while you are believing in anything make it a 100 percent job.

**There have never been so many chances to believe in things as there are right now. New ideas are popping up like mushrooms in a spring pasture. All of these new ideas are controversial but some are of enduring spiritual worth. There is a new tolerance toward race and religion which is one of the few happy results of our last war. There's a chance for a valiant believer. Everyone else in the apartment house may sneer at the Jews or snipe at the Catholics or yipe at the Chinese. But you can become a marked person if you will simply conform to the immortal truth that all men are born with "equal right of opportunity."**

Take your stand and take it hard. Some will laugh at you and some will sneer at you. But if you can't stand a little laughter and a few sneers you are not much of a human being.

The greatest thing in life is Belief.

The few men and women who dared to have individual beliefs and fight for them have had a tough time of it. They usually attained immortality but quite often they were crucified before they became town heroes.

Yet no matter how hard a beating you get, it's always worth while to believe in something and to believe in it hard. No matter what the other fellow may think about you, belief brings an inner glow, a secret courage that overrides all obstacles, and rare great moments of vision.

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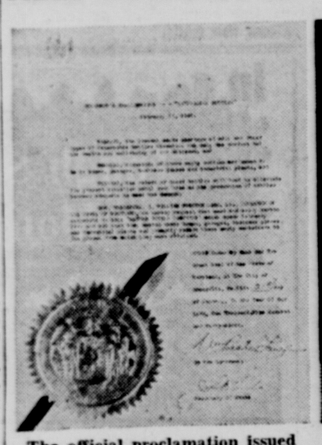
# GOVERNOR LANE PROCLAIMS NEED FOR BOTTLE ROUNDUP



The official proclamation issued by the Governor calls for a search of homes and business places for urgently needed milk and beverage bottles

Governor Lane signs his bottle-roundup proclamation in the presence of E. A. Randlett, Baltimore representative of Owens-Illinois Glass Company.

ANNAPOLIS, Md.—Gov. William Preston Lane Jr., has issued a proclamation calling upon Maryland citizens to search their homes and places of employment for returnable milk and beverage bottles.

Opening a state-wide campaign to get empty bottles back into circulation, the proclamation was issued to prevent a breakdown in milk, soft-drink and beer deliveries due to a bottle shortage. The bottle-return drive will continue until glass production, hit by raw-material scarcities, reaches adequate levels.

The shortage of bottles "threatens not only the comfort but the health and well-being of our citizens," Governor Lane said. He urged a thorough search of homes, garages, business places and industrial plants and prompt return of the empty containers to points of origin.

Prompt return of bottles "will tend to alleviate the present situation," the proclamation said. According to latest reports, more than 35,000,000 bottles have gone "truant" in American homes, and Maryland may uncover 3,000,000 of these.

A shortage of soda ash, one of the prime ingredients of glass-making, is behind the bottle shortage which threatens serious curtailment of milk and beverage supplies. The soda ash shortage, amounting to 500,000 tons a year, will continue throughout 1947, according to the United States Department of Commerce.

# Army Fighting Equipment Will Be Demonstrated

ABERDEEN, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—Newest types of weapons, projectiles and other fighting equipment will be demonstrated to the commanding generals of National Guard Units throughout the country at the Army's proving ground here this week.

The demonstration is in connection with the three-day conference of adjutants general which opens tomorrow in Washington. Its aim is to lay the groundwork for "the greatest National Guard in the nation's history."

Maj. Gen. Milton A. Record will represent Maryland at the conference. He will be accompanied by Brig. Gen. Henry C. Evans, Assistant Commanding General of the 29th Division; Brig. Gen. Harry C. Ruhl and Col. E. Leslie Medford, members of his staff, and Col. Thomas S. Delahay, property and disbursing officer.

# Evidence Points To Small Fry, Police Declare

FREDERICK, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—A bottling works, a creamery, and a school building were ransacked overnight, and police said today they had reasons to believe it was the work of small fry.

The reasons:

Despite methods termed "cyclonic," the intruders passed up all safes and strong boxes. They had several bottles of pop at the soft drink plant. At the creamery they dined on ice cream. And in the school cafeteria they ate all the bananas, throwing skins all over the floor.

# Faces Income Tax Charge

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—A federal grand jury today returned an indictment accusing Harry G. Bour, downtown shoe dealer, of income tax violations totaling $59,193 over a four year period.

The specifications charged that Bour paid $81.50 in taxes in 1940 when he should have paid $2,263. Shortages for the next three years were listed as $20,222, $24,845 and $11,543.

# Miss Mary Hicks Becomes Bride Of Noah Rhoades

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, Feb. 25—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hicks, Hambleton, announce the marriage of the latter's daughter, Mary Lucille, to Noah Rhoades, son of Mrs. Laura Rhoades, Hambleton.

The single ring ceremony was solemnized in the parsonage of the United Brethren church in Parsons Saturday evening, February 22, with the Rev. Blair Burr, pastor of the church officiating. The bride wore a street length dress of blue with matching accessories, and a single strand of pearls.

The bride, is also a daughter of the late Albert Lee Hedrick and is a graduate of Hamrick schools. Mr. Rhoades served four and one half years in the army with three years of overseas service. He is the holder of the Good Conduct medal, the Asiatic Pacific ribbon with one star, the Bronze Star, the Pre-Pearl Harbor ribbon and is now employed by the Dodd Archer mining Company in Douglas.

**Marriage Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil O'Hara, Parsons, announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Florine, Hoffman, to Ross Edward Marteney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Marteney, Montrose.

The single ring service was performed in the parsonage of the St. Paul's Methodist church in Oakland, February 15 at 4 o'clock with Rev. Denver C. Pickens, pastor of the church officiating.

The bride wore a street length dress of light blue with black and white accessories and completed her attire with a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Marteney is a graduate of Parsons High School in 1945 and is now employed as a clerk in the Lambert Grocery store in Parsons.

Mr. Marteney, a graduate of Elkins High School, spent several years in the army, 18 months of which was on overseas duty with the rating of first lieutenant. He is now a student at Davis and Elkins College where he is studying Civil Engineering. They will reside for the present in Parsons.

**Woman Breaks Hip**

Mrs. Kate Kalar, 70, wife of Spence Kalar, Porterwood, is a patient in a local hospital from injuries she received when she tripped over a rug at her home on Sunday evening. X-Rays revealed she had received a fracture of the left leg above the knee and is the second time that leg has been broken.

**Pennington Child Dies**

Funeral services were conducted at the Greenlief Funeral Home in Parsons for Emma Lee Pennington, seven weeks-old daughter of Harry and Alma Kelley Pennington who died from a heart ailment.

She was born December 31, 1946 and is survived by her parents and the following brothers and sisters, Iona, Douglas, Berdett, Sharon, Delbert and Larry, all at home. Her maternal grandfather, William Kelley of Arlington, Va., and her paternal grandfather, Robert Pennington, Parsons.

Rev. Harold D. Shiflet, pastor of the Parsons Presbyterian Church, officiated and interment was made in the Parsons cemetery.

**Parsons Man Dies**

Samuel Rowe, a farmer of near Tunnelton until three years ago when he moved to Parsons to reside with his daughter, Mrs. Russell Hebb, died at the Tucker County Hospital Sunday where he had been a patient since Wednesday. He had been ill for several weeks.

He was born, March 6, 1866 in New Castle, England, and came to the states when just a small child.

His wife, the former Nora LaVerna Plum, died 18 years ago. Surviving include the following children, Mrs. Mary Mullenaux of Wallace, Mrs. Anna Ward of Gauley Bridge, Mrs. Nora Nicholson of Salem, Mrs. Isabelle McGinnis of Tunnelton, Mrs. Russell Hebb of Parsons, William Rowe of Parsons, Willard Rowe of Oakland, Md., Samuel Rowe, Jr., of Philadelphia, Pa., and Pierce Rowe of West Alexandria, Pa.

He was a member of the Parsons Presbyterian church. The body has been returned to Tunnelton for services and interment.

**Taxi Service Sold**

The Twinkle Twin Taxi service organized here two years ago by Phil and Jack Griffith of Hambletons, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Griffith and both ex-servicemen changed hands this week when it was purchased by Fielding Kyer, Parsons, at an undisclosed price. Mr. Kyer, state game protector for Tucker County, will not leave his present position and the management will remain as before.

Gen. Don Diego de Vargas marched up the Rio Grande in 1692 to reclaim New Mexico for the Spanish.

# Citizenship Award Will Be Given By Ridgeley Lions

The Ridgeley Lions Club formulated plans for inaugurating an annual award at Ridgeley High School and participation in the playground activities, at the dinner meeting Monday night, at the Golden Gate Restaurant.

E. B. Spiker presided and appointed committees for both projects.

The "Citizenship Award" was voted to be given annually to the outstanding boy or girl student for sportsmanship and all around grades. The award will begin this year. The Education committee will be in charge of the award. It comprises James Preaskorn, George Justice and Paul Morgan.

George Edenhart was named chairman of the committee to meet jointly with the Knobley Post American Legion, Ridgeley P-TA and Ridgeley Volunteer Fire Company to plan activities for the playground this summer. Other members of his committee are Lewis Kinsmore and Aden Everstine. The group will meet early in March.

Melvin Heiskell, chairman, of the Sight Conservation and Blind Work committee, reported two children in the vicinity of Ridgeley will be examined March 14, and if necessary will be fitted with glasses. Supplying glasses is the principal project of the club.

# Protest Sales Tax

Officials of District 16, United Mine Workers of America, have sent telegrams to Governor Lane and members of the Allegany and Garrett county delegations protesting the passage of the proposed sales tax. The telegrams asserted such a tax would affect the low income wage earners out of proportion to other citizens and declared there were other means of collecting taxes besides "taking food out of the mouths of many children."

# GETS MOVIE JOB AT 73, BUT NEVER HAD SEEN A FILM

AP Newsfeatures

Lorenzo Russell, 73, Utah farmer, has never seen a motion picture, but he's in one. When Joel McCrea and Veronica Lake arrived in his "ghost town" of Grafton to shoot the United Artists' film, "Ramrod," they gave Russell a job as an extra. The only time he had left his town was for a short trip in the mountains.

# Car Balks; Driver Injured Slightly

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP) — Glenn Greenwood's balky car gave him a pain in the neck today.

When it wouldn't start, he opened the door by the driver's seat, got halfway out, and pushed. The car door caught against the side of the garage and pinned him—by the neck.

Neighbors freed him, suffering slightly from shock but otherwise unhurt.

# Carloadings Increase

Carloads handled by the Baltimore and Ohio during the week ended February 22, 1947, totaled 63,284, made up of 39,555 loaded on line and 23,729 received from connections. During the same week of last year the total was 59,238, consisting of 36,943 loaded on line and 22,295 received from connections. During the preceding week (the week ended February 15), the total was 62,446, including 38,965 loaded on line and 23,481 received from connections.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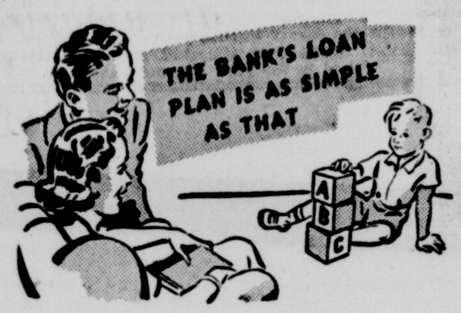


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# Manufacture Of Building Brick Is Started In Factory At Mt. Savage

## Many Veterans Are Employed In Plant

The Mt. Savage Refractories Company, recently put into operation a modern plant for the manufacture of red and buff building brick and drain tile, again making the manufacture of brick the leading industry in the community.

The refractories company replaces the Union Mining Company, which in 1847 took over the industry from the Maryland and New York Iron and Coal Company which was established in St. Savage in 1837. It was this company that manufactured the first steel rail in the United States in 1843.

The history of fire clay mining dates back to 1839 when a seam of fire clay was discovered in the mountains above the town. After considerable experimental work, the manufacture of brick from this supply seam began. Prior to that time brick for the blast furnaces were imported from England.

**Town's Major Industry**

However, for many years the manufacture of brick was a secondary industry, used solely as an auxiliary in the manufacture of the steel rail. When the blast furnaces stopped functioning in the middle of the 19th century, the brick industry stepped into first place in the town's means of employment. Over a period of many years it held that distinction then it gradually began to decline and Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad Company shops, roundhouse, freight and track employment began to dominate the town's industry.

With the purchase of the C & P by the Western Maryland Railway Company, most of the local employment ceased, and the refractories company, with a greater producing capacity than ever before has again moved into first place and has saved the town from being without a major industry.

The new plant is modern in every respect, being entirely equipped with all the latest machinery used in the manufacture of face brick. A large gyratory crusher and pan type grinders, with automatic feeds are employed in disintegrating the raw products. The crushed materials then pass through a de-airing, brick-making machine and are loaded on cars to be burned in a continuous tunnel kiln. The bricks are then palletized and the finished product is loaded into cars for shipment. Unlike the first brick manufactured here, there is no local market for the brick today, and they are shipped to all parts of the country.

**Make 3,000,000 Per Month**

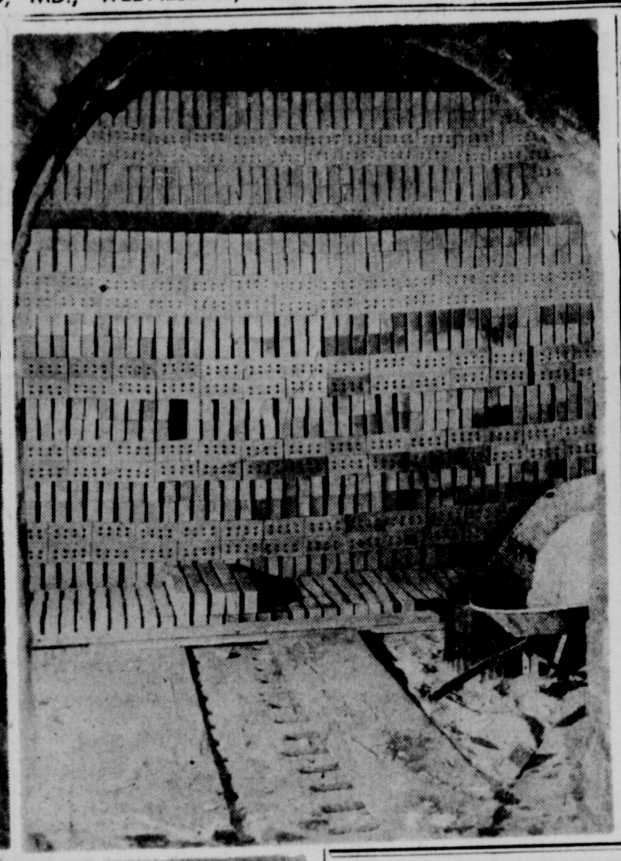
The different types of brick being made in the local plant include first and second quality fire brick; Mattex, Vertex and Smooth face red building brick; Mattex, Vertex and Smooth face buff building brick; forest blend brick; hollow tile for backing up and complete wall construction, and drain tile.

The production of the plant now reaches 3,000,000 brick per month a far cry from the top production of the original brick plant which was 100,000 brick per month. Approximately 150 men are employed at the plant, over 50% of them veterans of World War II.

According to Walter E. Blank, general manager of the company, the wage scale at the plant is among the highest in the nation and it ranks first in the state of Maryland.

The plant should prove a great help in the present G. I. home building program as it is a source of supply for vitally needed materials for all types of construction.

Blank himself served in the Navy during the war and prior to his entrance into the armed forces completed a course in the manufacture of brick in Jackson, Ohio. Company offices are located in Mt. Savage, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Boston, New York and Pittsburgh.



**USING NEW METHODS**—The latest type of modern machinery for making brick was recently installed in the Mt. Savage Refractories Company plant and is now in operation. At top left, Ted Lancaster, Mt. Savage, is shown operating one of the latest "dry press" machines. This machine is used to press moisture out of green brick and when the brick go through the machine they are completely dry and are ready to go from the machine into the kiln. Under the old process bricks had to be "dried out" before they could be put into the kiln for cooking. A hand fired kiln, (filled with brick), is shown at the upper right. As can be seen in the picture the bricks are perforated. Through experimental work it was discovered that the sidewalls of the perforated brick do not crack as easily as solid brick. The bottom picture shows the new automatic continuous kiln at the right, while at the left can be seen a conveyor loaded with brick. The conveyor carries the bricks through the continuous kiln and come out a finished product. Recently put into operation the automatic kiln is turning out 80,000 bricks per day.

## Global Cramming

MISSOULA, Mont., (AP)—Montana State University officials have a better idea about this "one world" business after receiving a letter from a woman in Weisbaden, Germany, asking about correspondence courses for her two sons, one in Germany, the other en route to Europe from Japan. The youths both graduated from high school in Santa Barbara, Calif.

## It Pays To Buzz Advertising Field

FALLS CITY, Neb., (AP)—Much to his sorrow, a Falls City man learned that newspaper advertising brings results.

The man allegedly moved out of the county without paying a bill.

Some time afterward, he advertised in the Falls City Journal saying he was back in the county with a buzz saw to do some wood cutting.

The creditor was his first customer, arriving with a threat to attach the saw if the operator didn't pay. The man paid.

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## Thieves Get Rights

RICHMOND, Va., (AP) — When John W. Johnson, a salesman, reported seven cases of shoes stolen from his car on a Richmond street, police quickly found the loot, valued at $400, dumped in an alley. The shoes were all for the right foot.

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## St. David's Day Will Be Marked By Program, Tea

### Frostburg Church Plans Event Friday

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, Feb. 25—In observance of St. David's Day, the Pioneer Club of the Mt. Zion Welsh Baptist Memorial Church will entertain with a program and tea, open to the public, on Friday at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Marian Skidmore will be in charge of the program, which will include two choral selections, "Men of Harlech" and "Jesus Lover of My Soul"; a violin solo by Miss Datha Thomas; a vocal duet by Emma Jean Lewis and Dolores Bean; a Welsh solo by Mrs. W. D. Reese; selections by a quartet composed of Sarah Jane Davis, Mary Beth Davis, Betty Ann Hanna and Marian Skidmore.

Reading by Joshua Davis; solo by Mrs. Alvinia Cole; solo by Stella Mae Syckes; Welsh solo by Rev. W. D. Reese, and the Welsh national anthem by Mrs. Reese. Following the program, a Welsh tea will be held in the church annex.

Rev. Mr. Reese also announced yesterday that a series of nation-wide radio broadcasts of Welsh music and talks has been scheduled in observance of St. David's Day, which falls on March 1. St. David is the patron saint of Wales.

On Saturday, March 1, a program will be presented over the Mutual Broadcasting System from 2:30 to 3 p. m., featuring the Cambrian Male Chorus of Cleveland.

G. A. Price, president of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation of Pittsburgh, will give a talk over the National Broadcasting Company's network from 5 to 5:30 p. m. the same day, with music by the Cymric Mixed Chorus of New York, Rhys Morgan conducting.

The Cities Service program on Friday from 8 to 8:30 p. m. will include three Welsh numbers, and on Sunday from 11:30 a. m. until noon over the Columbia network the Tabernacle Choir of Salt Lake City will present a Welsh program.

**Mrs. Hutchinson Dies**

Mrs. Clara Downey Hutchinson, 57, widow of John C. Hutchinson, died Monday night at her home in Edinburg, Va., after being in failing health for several years. A daughter of the late Joseph W. and Lucy E. Downey, Mrs. Hutchinson is survived by two children, Jack Hutchinson and Mrs. Grace Carter, both of Edinburg, and a brother, William W. Downey, Frostburg.

Prior to her marriage, Mrs. Hutchinson spent several summers in Frostburg.

**Frostburg Native Dies**

Word has been received here that Samuel Coleman, 69, a native of Frostburg, died February 6 in a Pittsburgh hospital. He was a son of the late Lewis J. and Julia Coleman and was the husband of the late Mrs. Allie Parker Coleman.

He is survived by two daughters. John H. Coleman, this city, is a brother and the last surviving member of a family of 12 children. Funeral services were held in Pittsburgh.

**Attend Concert**

Among the Frostburgers who went to Hagerstown to hear the concert given by John Charles Thomas were Mrs. Eva Clark Kemp and Mrs. Nellie Connor Rizer, both now residents of Cumberland. Mrs. Clark, widow of Charles Kemp, cousin of Thomas, was married on the yacht of the internationally known singer. Thomas appeared at the Maryland Theater, Hagerstown, in connection with a presentation of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "Pinafore," by the Baltimore Civic Opera Company.

**Six Fires Reported**

The Frostburg Fire Department responded to six alarms last week. Five were minor blazes and the other fire, at the Glover residence, Finzel, completely destroyed the home. The local fires, included a grass fire at the Sleeman residence, Mt. Pleasant street, and flue fires at the Morton property, Broadway, Meeks residence, Hill street; Skidmore property, Center street and Bittner property, Grant street.

**Frostburg Briefs**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hunter, 24 West Loo Street, announce the birth of a daughter Sunday in Miners Hospital.

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## Ethel Smith Rites Held In Meyersdale

By W. A. SHOEMAKER

MEYERSDALE, Pa., Feb. 25 — Rites for Mrs. Ethel May Smith, 23, Meyersdale, who died Saturday afternoon at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, where she underwent an operation the past week, were held at 2 p. m. today at the Smith home on Cherry Street, Meyersdale, Rev. C. H. Laird, pastor of the Avenue Church of the Nazarene officiating. Interment was made in the Union Cemetery.

Mrs. Smith was born May 14, 1923, in Summit township, a daughter of William and Edith (Smith) Crissey. Surviving are her parents; her husband, Jesse L. Smith; brothers and sisters—James and Harry Crissey, Baltimore, Md.; John Crissey, Meyersdale; Lincoln Crissey, Lock Haven; Elmer Crissey, Fort Hill; William Crissey, at home; Eleanor, Rose and Catherine Crissey, all at home.

**Heffley Infant Dies**

Franklin Pierce Heffley, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Heffley, died Saturday at Hazel McGilvery Hospital here.

**Brief Items**

Mrs. John H. Blocher, accompanied by her husband, and son, Lynn, left yesterday for Cleveland, Ohio, where Mrs. Blocher will enter the Cleveland Clinic for observation and treatment, while Lynn, will enter a school to take up the study to become a mortican and funeral director. During the time that the latter is pursuing his studies his wife will remain with her parents in Georgia.

Word received from James B. Hummel, who with Mrs. Hummel, left a week ago to spend until mid-April in Florida, states that they are now comfortably established in their home in Miami, which was erected during the past year. He is now busily engaged in preparing the lawn and surroundings, and has also started garden making.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Frease, who spent the past 10 days visiting their friends and relatives in this their former home town left yesterday for Akron, Ohio, where Mr. Frease has for a number of years been connected with one of the prominent rubber concerns of that city.

**Personals**

Dr. J. W. Wenzel, formerly of Meyersdale, now practicing medicine in Oakland, is the guest of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Wenzel, Salisbury street.

Miss Mary Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baldwin, who underwent an appentectomy at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

Miss Roberta Koontz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koontz, a student at Susquehanna University, Selinsgrove, spent the past several days visiting her parents and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Milton A. Fike had as her guest the past week her daughter, Mrs. Fred Bloom, Cumberland.

Mrs. Bruce Fike, who spent the past two weeks visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Price, at Silver Spring, Md., has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bittner, Wellersburg, spent the past few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Weimer.

## Mrs. Sarah E. Adams Dies In Crellin

OAKLAND, Feb. 25—Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Adams, 81, wife of the late P. K. Adams, Crellin merchant, died in her sleep today at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Ashby, in Crellin.

She was born April 9, 1865, near Rowlesburg, W. Va., a daughter of Mrs. Charles Jackson Roy and Lavenia Mason Roy. She was married to Peter K. Adams on June 22, 1884. To this union were born Emory, Addie, Duncan, Cread and Tona. The latter died in infancy and both Duncan and her husband preceded her in death in 1939.

She was a lifelong member of the Crellin Methodist church where she taught a Sunday School class for 25 years. She was one of Crellin's oldest residents.

Surviving are the following children, Emory W. Adams, of Oakland; Mrs. Stanley Ashby, Crellin; Cread L. Adams, Harlingen, Texas; also one sister, Mrs. Laura Adams, Waynesboro, Pa., and one brother, Thomas Roy, Mt. Lake Park; 17 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. Three brothers, Richard Roy, Joshua Roy, Mt. Lake Park, and Charles Roy of Aurora, W. Va., also preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Crellin Church on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Rev. Lantz Anderson and Rev J. E. Johnson officiating. Interment will be in the Terra Alta cemetery, Terra Alta, W. Va.

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## Fourth Anniversary To Be Observed By Mt. Savage Lions

By MRS. ROSE O'ROURKE

MT. SAVAGE, Feb. 25 — The fourth charter night dinner of the Mt. Savage Lions Club will be held in the parish house at St. George's Episcopal Church Thursday night at 7 o'clock.

The affair will be in the form of a Ladies Night celebration, and various entertainment will be provided. The main feature on the program will be travelogue motion pictures, which will be presented by Prof. Ivan Diehl, Frostburg.

In the four years since its organization, the local Lions Club has participated in every civic activity for the benefit of the community. Members have accomplished extensive work among underprivileged boys and girls and are endeavoring to have a local playground complete in the near future. Edward Conway served as first president of the group.

**Observe Anniversary**

Old Rail Post, No. 6025 Veterans of Foreign Wars, celebrated the first anniversary of its organization, Monday night, at a buffet supper at the VFW home, Main street. Impromptu talks were given by members.

Since its organization a year ago, the club has become prominent in civic affairs. The club rooms were opened July 7, and aside from the usual activities a weekly teen age club is sponsored, meeting every Monday night from 9 until 11 o'clock, and also a club for younger children is organized and meets from 7 until 9 o'clock on Monday evenings.

An athletic program has been inaugurated for the young men of the community and a basketball team plays in the Interstate Basketball League. The veterans hold a three-year lease on the local baseball diamond and have urged the participation of local nines in various leagues. The diamond is always kept in good playing condition.

They have sponsored affairs for the benefit of the Mt. Savage Ambulance fund and the March of Dimes. A folding wheel chair was purchased by the post for use of the community.

Dances are held every Saturday night and every other Wednesday night. Continual improvements are being made to the club rooms by the post members.

**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mulligan announce the birth of a son yesterday at Miners Hospital, Frostburg. Mrs. Mulligan is the former Miss Jane Gallagher.

Mrs. H. Bennett and her father, Charles Carabine, have returned to Washington after attending funeral services for Joseph Carabine.

Mrs. Harry Turley is critically ill in Allegany Hospital, Cumberland, where she was taken yesterday.

John Green, Mt. Savage, is a patient in Miners Hospital, Frostburg, suffering with rheumatic fever.

## Miss Edna Ashby Becomes Bride Of R. E. Crumbaugh

By LUKE McDOWELL

KEYSER, W. Va., Feb. 25—Miss Edna Louise Ashby and Robert E. Crumbaugh were married in Grace Methodist Church, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, with Rev. H. S. Myerly, pastor of the church, performing the ceremony with the use of the double ring service.

Miss Sarah Jane Ashby, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Lawrence Fout was best man.

Mrs. Crumbaugh is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas Ashby, New Creek. She is a graduate of Keyser High School and Potomac State School and has been employed in the office of the Cumberland Gas Company, Keyser. Mr. Crumbaugh is the son of R. E. Crumbaugh, McMullan Highway. He is now a student at Potomac State School. He served four years in the United States Marines.

They will reside in one of the recently completed housing units on the Potomac State campus.

**Meeting Is Called**

Mineral county livestock producers will assemble in the Burlington school house at 6:30 p. m., Tuesday, March 4, for a dinner meeting. The dinner will be served by the Burlington Farm Women's Club. J. E. Prettyman, county agent, urges all livestock producers in the county to plan to attend, and asks that dinner reservations be sent in promptly.

Immediately following the dinner there will be discussions of the livestock production program in the state and particularly in Mineral county. The chief speaker will be Benj. F. Creech, Morgantown, animal husbandryman, West Virfginia University.

The production of livestock in Mineral County has increased rapidly in the past few years until it is now looked upon as one of the leading counties of the state in that industry.

**Attend Meeting**

Thirty members of Mount Olive Rebakah Lodge and Queens Point Lodge IOOF attended the Tri-State Past Grands Association at Chapel Hill Lodge, Cumberland, Monday night. The trip to Cumberland was made by chartered bus.

**Personals**

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Corbin of Keyser, in Potomac Valley Hospital.

Others admitted to the hospital are Hampton Metcalfe, Ridgeville; Miss Rosalie Eye, Old Fields; James Loy, Piedmont; Reuben L. Kile, Upper Tract, and George Streets, Elk Garden.

James A. Dixon, Mineral county sheriff, who was a surgical patient in Potomac Valley Hospital, has returned to his home at Sulphur, where he is recuperating.

The history of the horse shows it as one of the world's most curious animals. Its gradual change from a tiny many-toed animal, to one that walks on the end of a single toe, is without parallel.

## Joseph N. Beaman Dies In Hospital In Cumberland

By MARIE MERRBACH

LONACONING, Feb. 25—Joseph Nicol Beaman, 53, husband of Edith Lucetta Phillips Beaman, Robbins street, a veteran of World War I, died Monday night at 10:50 o'clock in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, where he had been a patient since December 27, 1946. He had been ill for three weeks at his home before he entered the hospital.

Mr. Beaman operated his restaurant, "Joe's Place," on Union street, until his serious illness. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion and the Junior Order, United American Mechanics. He was a native of Lisingring, Pa., the son of the late George and Rebecca Cook Beaman.

Besides his widow, there are three daughters and a son surviving. They are Mrs. Evelyn Johnson, Moscow; Misses Anna Mae and Dorothea, and Joseph Jr., at home. Three grandchildren survive. A sister, Mrs. Mary Wilson, Lonaconing, and a brother, Roy, Chicago, survive.

The body will be at the home on Robbins street, where funeral services will be held.

**Will Show Slides**

Eighty-two colored slides on "The Gospel in India" will be shown at 8:30 p. m. at the First Presbyterian Church as a special program following the Sunday evening service, Rev. C. H. Goshorn, pastor, announced today.

This special showing of the slide films is sponsored by the Women's Missionary Society of the church.

**Service Is Planned**

At the Lenten service this Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the First Methodist Church, Rev. C. H. Goshorn, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will be guest speaker.

Special music will be presented at this service by the quartet from the Young People's choir.

**Brief Mention**

The Missionary class of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will not hold its meeting this Wednesday afternoon. The meeting will be postponed until next week.

"If I Had My Way," starring Bing Crosby was shown at the San Toy theater Tuesday evening as a benefit for the First Presbyterian Church. A large crowd attended.

Lonaconing was without street lights for approximately two hours Monday midnight when high winds caused a breakage in the power line. The Potomac Edison company trucks worked continuously with spotlights on their trucks examining the lines before the service was restored.

Ervin Lewis, chairman of the Lonaconing Red Cross war fund drive, will conduct the initial meeting for all Red Cross workers and persons interested in aiding with the fund drive this year, at the Red Cross room, Main street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Miss Anne Sloan is in Baltimore where she will attend several conferences the next few days.

A skating party will be held by the VFW Teen-Agers at the Crystal Park on Thursday, February 27. The bus will leave at 6:30 o'clock from in front of Mashall's confectionery, Main street.

Goodwill Volunteer Fire Company was summoned at 2:30 a. m. Tuesday to aid in fighting the fire at the American Legion home in Westernport.

## Three Found Guilty In Fracas On Bus

SOMERSET, Pa., Feb. 25 — One man pleaded guilty to charges of aggravated assault and battery and two others to charges of disorderly conduct when arraigned here yesterday before Justice of Peace Charles J. Harrison.

The charges grew out of a fracas on a Blue Ridge bus Saturday when a Meyersdale man was injured.

State Police of the Somerset substation arrested Ezra Nicholas, Robert G. Newsom, and William E. Newsom, all of Unamis, Addison Township, after Frank Prolazzi, Meyersdale, was sent to Hazel McGilvery Hospital, with a severe cut and an open artery on his head.

Prolazzi was hit on the head by a whisky bottle wielded by one of the trio as the bus was enroute from Pittsburgh to Addison. Nine stitches were required to close the wound.

Robert Newsom pleaded guilty to the aggravated assault and battery charges and was committed to Somerset county jail in default of $1,000 bond. Ezra Nicholas and William Newsom were fined $10 and costs for disorderly conduct. The latter was committed to the county jail for 30 days in default of fine.

According to police Nicholas and the two Newsom brothers became loud and boisterous during the bus ride. Prolazzi tried to quiet them and it was reported that the men then became abusive.

Police also listed Mrs. Maud Crank, Pittsburgh, as being injured in the melee. She was found unconscious when the bus arrived in Hagerstown, Md., Saturday night. It was understood Mrs. Crank also suffered head injuries.

The trio, all employed at the Summit Lumber Company got off the bus at Addison, where state police picked them up.

John Deere, village blacksmith of Grand Detour, Ill., made the first steel plow in 1837.

## Legion Post Home In Westernport Gutted By Flames

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, Feb. 25 — J. Estell Kenny, commander of Victory Post No. 155, American Legion, estimated tonight that the fire which gutted the two-story frame Post home on Main street early today caused damage of between $10,000 and $12,000 to Legion furnishings and equipment.

Mrs. Norris Repp, Main Street, owner of the building, estimated damage to the structure at about $5,000. Both said the loss was partly covered by insurance. Cause of the blaze has not been determined. Mrs. Repp said she will probably remodel the building. The outside walls are standing but the interior is gutted.

Kenny stated that the Legion had occupied the building for over three years and that Howard Blackburn, John Thomas and Patrick Mayhew, employes, had inspected the building before closing at 11:45 p. m. and found no evidence of fire.

The fire, which originated in the vicinity of a second floor bathroom in the two-story frame building, was discovered at 1:15 a. m. by John Wills, Railroad street, World War II veteran and a member of the Potomac Fire Company, who saw the blaze from his home.

Seven volunteer fire companies fought the fire for nearly five hours and deserve much praise for confining it to the Legion home. There is only about one foot between it and the Michael Laughlin and Walter Miller's buildings. Neither was damaged.

Fire companies fighting the blaze were the Goodwill Fire Company of Lonaconing; Barton Fire Company; Bloomington Fire Company; Luke Fire Company and Potomac Fire Company No. 2 of Westernport; Beryl, W. Va., Fire Company and Tri-Towns Fire Company No. 1 of Piedmont, W. Va.

Walter Riley, Westernport, a member of Potomac Fire Company, suffered a bruised knee when struck by a hose. He and Kenny Harrison were descending a ladder and Riley was below Harrison when the hose struck his knee.

The building was erected in 1872 by the late J. F. Jamesson and for a number of years was operated under the name of Westernport Mercantile Company as a general store. The building was gutted by fire in February, 1936, when the first floor was occupied by the American Store and an apartment was on the second floor. When it was remodeled the third floor, occupied by Black Hawk Tribe No. 131, Improved Order of Red Men, as a lodge room, was removed.

Kenny stated no location for a new Legion home has been considered.

**No Curfew Recommended**

At a meeting of the Mayors and Councils of Piedmont, W. Va., Luke and Westernport, held last night at the Piedmont council chamber with Mayor J. Milton McIntyre of Westernport, presiding, it was decided that a curfew law was not necessary in the Tri-Towns.

It was agreed that the present ordinances on the statute books of the communities are adequate and that police will be instructed if they find children loitering on the streets late at night to order them home. It was also pointed out that parents are responsible for the acts of their children.

There has been no serious juvenile problem in the Tri-Towns, it was stated.

Others attending the meeting were Mayor Harold Fredlock, Eugene W. Paxton, John Ward, E. J. Cheshire, William Davis and Charles L. Davis, members of the Piedmont City Council; Dr. Lewis F. Engle, George C. Cleaver, and George Kight of the Westernport City Council and Officers Joseph Wilkes of Luke and James Harrison and Thomas Walsh.

**Announce Marriage**

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Fike, 74 East Hampshire Street, Piedmont, W. Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth Virginia, to Frank Walker, Jr., son of Mrs. Lester Sager, 39 Paxton Street, Piedmont. The double-ring ceremony was performed Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Church of the Brethren, Westernport, by Rev. Arthur Scrogum, Cumberland.

Preceding the ceremony Russell F. DeVore, Westernport, sang "O Perfect Love" and "I Love You Truly", accompanied by Ralph E. Fike, Westernport, brother of the bride, who also played the traditional wedding music.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of cream satin with full marquisette skirt and matching headdress, and carried an arm bouquet of white carnations with satin showers.

The bride's only attendant, Mrs. Joseph Callio, Atlantic City, N. J., wore a gown of pale blue chiffon with matching headdress and carried an arm bouquet of pink carnations.

Charles Mitter, Bloomington, Md., was Mr. Walker's best man and Brydon DeWitt, brother-in-law of the bride, was usher.

The bride's mother wore navy blue with matching accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home,

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Chauncey Jerome was a noted American clockmaker who originated the one-day brass clock movement which enormously increased the clock business and opened a market for American clocks in Europe. Jerome was born in Canaan, Conn., in 1793.

## Mrs. Hugh Kelley Dies At Home At Purgitsville

By MYRTLE PARK

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 25.—Mrs. Hugh P. Kelley, 84, of Purgitsville, W. Va., died early Monday morning at her home after a lingering illness of several months. The funeral will be held Thursday at 10:30 a. m. at the Bethel Church. Interment will be at the Lahmansville cemetery about 1 o'clock. Mrs. Kelley was the mother of 13 children and three preceded her in death.

The surviving relatives are her husband, Hugh P. Kelley, Purgitsville, W. Va., and the following children: Miss Marie Kelley and Preston Kelley, Jurgitsville; Charles Kelley, Palmyra, Pa.; Arlie Kelley, Gettysburg, Pa.; Mrs. Scott Reynolds, Alexandria, Va.; Mrs. Emma Rotruck, Purgitsville; Mrs. Jesse Arnold, Petersburg; Mrs. Artie Droege, Cumberland; Mrs. Eston Wilkins, Purgitsville, and Mrs. James McCoole, Keyser.

She was born near Lahmansville, a daughter of the late Archibald Rexroad and Margaret Hoover Rexroad, and was a member of the United Brethren church.

**Fire Destroys Building**

Fire yesterday morning destroyed a large block storage and truck storage building belonging to the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company owned by O. R. Oates and H. E. J. Oates on Mountain View street with a loss of merchandise and damage to the large building of $10,000 with only partly civered by insurance. The Petersburg Volunteer Fire Company fought the blaze for three hours in the zero weather and ice froze on their clothing as they stood and fought the fire. Traffic was rerouted for three hours around by Grove street off North Main street.

**Store Is Robbed**

The store belinging to O. M. Smith on South Main street was broken into Sunday night and the entrance was made through a window and merchandise taken. No arrests have been made but the theft is being investigated by local authorities, and state police.

A pickup truck belonging to O. S. Kimble who owns and operates the Firestone store here on Water street was stolen from the alley beside the store Sunday night. No arrests have been made but the matter is being investigated by local authorities and the state police.

**Personals**

Esmond Taylor and C. H. Park will return from Chicago today where they have been attending the National Cement Association meeting for one week.

Mr. and Mrs Paul Hines have returned from visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDonald, Moorefield.

The Maysville school bus which comes through the Ridges yesterday was unable to make the trip because of snow drifts and came in over State Route 42 yesterday morning. The road was opened by the State Roads Commission Saturday but drifted shut over the weekend. Other county roads are open with mostly one way traffic in places. No serious accidents have been reported.

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## Ross Spends Furlough In Philippines

BAGUIO, P. I.—Technician Fifth Class Raynor C. Ross, recently spent an eleven-day furlough in Baguio, Luzon, summer capital and playground of the Philippines, as a guest of the Camp John Hay Furlough Center.

T-5 Ross attended Bruce High School in his home town, Westernport. He enlisted in the Army at Fort Meade, Md., Feb. 6, 1946, from his home town in Westernport, where his wife, Mrs. Margaret Ross, and his mother, Mrs. Mary Ross, now reside. He took basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C., and, after training, embarked June 28, 1946 for overseas service in the Philippines.

He is now stationed with the 786th Ord. LM Co., 86th Inf. Division, APO 450, where he repairs all weapons in the Armament Section.

## Kempton WSCS Presents Program

By MRS. BOYD WISE

KEMPTON, Feb. 25—Mrs. Alex J. Watring was hostess to the Woman's Society of Christian Service at her home. Mrs. Myrtle Wallwork was in charge and used the lesson "Your Master Proclaim". More than $15 was collected in dues and assessments.

A plate lunch was served by the hostess at the close of the meeting. Others attending were Mrs. E. P. Dice, Mrs. Agnes Evans, Mrs. Guy Wilson, Mrs. Robert Martin, Mrs. Harry Buckley and Mrs. Paul Carr. Mrs. Joseph Stockley.

**$200 Collected**

Alex J. Watring, who has charge of the pledge for Kempton's quota for the Retired Ministers fund, which is $288.75, announces that more than $200 has already been pledged with others to hear from.

**Personals**

Mrs. Joseph Stockley and son Robert, William Bolandis, Collingsville, Ill., and Mrs. Dorothy Stockley Sellers, St. Louis, are visiting Robert Stockley and Mrs. Myrtle Wallwork. Mrs. Joseph Stockley is a former resident, having moved from here in 1921.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Smith announce the birth of a daughter, Sara Louise, February 21 in Davis Memorial Hospital, Elkins. This is their first child.

Robert Stockley and William Bolandis are visiting friends in Shanadoah, Pa.

Mrs. Jane Blizzard, Mrs. Homer Evans, Mrs. Mary Burger and Omer Smith were visitors in Elkins, Saturday.

Ms. Lottie Hanlin, who was taken to Davis Memoial Hospital by ambulance Fiday night, after suffering an overdose of sleeping tablets, is improving.

W. J. Brall, Jr., was called to Cumberland due to the illness of his wife, Mrs. Leona Brall.

Dorsey J. Sowers and Boyd L. Wise were business visitors in Oakland Saturday.

Mike Morris is ill at his home with influenza.

William Jaburjak who returned after attending the funeral of his mother was called home again due to the death of a sister.

## Kreyenbuhl Rites Held In Oakland

By GEORGE H. HANST

OAKLAND, Md., Feb. 25—Xavier Kreyenbuhl, 94, died Sunday morning, February 23, at 5 o'clock, at his home on the old Deer Park Road, two miles east of town. He had been active until about two weeks ago.

He was born October 11, 1853, in Bern, Switzerland, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Kreyenbuhl. He was a retired farmer and had lived on his farm near here for 40 years.

He was a member of the Catholic Church and the Holy Name Society. Surviving are two sons, Leo S. Kreyenbuhl and William C. Kreyenbuhl, Oakland; and one daughter, Mrs. Mary Klopp, Baltimore; also five grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Lena Determan, Wheeling, W. Va.; two brothers, Silas and Leopold Kreyenbuhl, Leopold, W. Va.

A funeral service was conducted this morning at 9:30 o'clock from St. Peter's Catholic Church, Oakland, with Rev. George Shipper in charge. Interment was in St. Peter's Cemetery with A. G. Hesen, Sherman White, William R. Browning, F. R. Shaffer, George Kerins and B. I. Gonder serving as pallbearers.

**Paugh Rites Held**

A funeral service was conducted Saturday for Mrs. Ida M. F. Paugh, 84, widow of Columbus Paugh, and known as "Aunt Mollie," who died February 19, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Annie Dixon, near the Bethlehem settlement. She had been ill a short time.

She was born March 4, 1863 in this county, a daughter of the late Alexander and Martha Shaffer Kitzmiller, 84. She was a member of the U. B. Church at Bethlehem.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Dixon; three grandchildren, one great grandchild and four great great grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Minnie Everetts, Danville, W. Va.; Mrs. Effie P. Thomas, Thomas, W. Va.; Mrs. Annie Cooper, Oakland; Mrs. Mollie Hooton, Deer Park; two brothers, Wayman Kitzmiller, Mt. Storm, W. Va.; and Clarence Kitzmiller, of Ohio.

Services Saturday were from the Bolden Funeral Home at 1:30 o'clock, with Rev. J. E. Johnson officiating. Interment was in the Thomas Moon Cemetery at Bethlehem.

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# Two Indictments Are Returned By Hardy Grand Jury

MOOREFIELD, W. Va., Feb. 25—The Hardy County Grand Jury retunred two indictments at the February term of court. John H. Van Meator was indicted on a felony charge with unarmed robbery. Van Meator is being held in the Petersburg jail for the next term of court. Harlan Tross, negro, was indicted on a felony and charged with the theft of an automobile belonging to Harold Dodd. On a plea of guilty, Judge H. M. Calhoun placed Tross on probation for a term of five years.

William D. Kohne was granted a divorce from Pearl Kohne.

**Marriage License Issued**

Only one application to wed was filed in Clerk C. C. Wise's office during the past week. An application was granted to Walter W. Cook and Effie Whetzel, both residents of Pendleton county.

**Marriage Is Announced**

Miss Lorraine Caplinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Caplinger, Mathias, became the bride of Leonard Fitzwater, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Fitzwater, Bergton, Va., in a ceremony performed by Rev. W. E. Canoles Saturday, February 22. The ceremony took place at the United Brethren Parsonage.

The bride wore a blue street length dress with black accessories.

At the present the young couple will reside with the bride's parents at Mathias.

**New Closing Hours**

Most of Moorefield's stores will adopt a five o'clock closing hour effective Monday, March 10. The 5 o'clock closing will be on week days and on Saturday the stores will remain open until 9. The early closing will be in effect all year except for the two weeks period preceding Christmas.

Stores signing the agreement include The Half Price Store, Coffman Fisher Co., The Firestone Store, Bennett Hardware, Acme Five to One Dollar Store, Schriver's Moorefield Auto Supply, Ward's Sport Shop, Puffenberger Jewelry Store and Mrs. Kuykendall's Gift Shop.

**Firemen Make Reports**

All the equipment at the Moorefield Volunteer Fire Company is in first class condition, according to the reports made. Chief Foster E. Arnold reported that all damaged hose and couplings had been repaired and that the town hydrants were being renovated by the town. L. R. Grover, chairman of the engine committee reported that the engine and pumper was in good working order and that the pump had been tested at the bulwarks last weekend.

The building committee reported that the measurements had been made for the constructions of a railing and steps to the balcony of the auditorium and that immediate action would be taken to repair the Town Council meeting room and a fire escape for the rear of the building.

Four members of the Petersburg Volunteer Fire Company were guests and Justin Arnold, chief of the Petersburg company made a brief talk. H. M. Mongold, vice-president of the Petersburg firemen invited Moorefield to be hosts at the next quarterly meeting of the Potomac Valley Volunteer Foremen's Association.

The Moorefield volunteer group is attempting to secure a used piano for use at the recreation room and for future entertainment at the auditorium. They request any citizen having a piano to dispose of to get in touch with any member of the company.

**Mrs. Shute Dies**

Mrs. Carrie Price Shute, 69, died in the Memorial Hospital, Winchester, early Tuesday morning as the result of a complication of diseases. Funeral services will be held this afternoon from the home of her sister, Mrs. G. W. McCauley at 3:30.

Rev. Charles Kernan, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will conduct the services and interment will be in Olivet Cemetery. The pallbearers will be Donald Baker, Howard Belt, Virgil Crites, William Wilson, Julian B. Chipley and Robert Gamble.

Mrs. Schute was a daughter of the late Richard Coale Price and Mrs. Sallie K. Price and was born in Hardy County February 6, 1878. She spent many years away from Moorefield but came back from Boston in the early part of 1934, extremely ill with arthritis, and since that time has made her home with Judge and Mrs. McCauley.

She is survived by one sister, Mrs. G. W. McCauley, and a brother, James M. Price, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Shute became a member of the Presbyterian Church in her early girlhood and continued a member of this church until her death.

**Mrs. Taylor Dies**

Relatives here received word of the death of Mrs. Mattie Huffman Taylor, 79, on Thursday, February 20 in the Salisbury, Maryland, hospital. Mrs. Taylor had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Wimbrow, since the death of her husband, Samuel Taylor, several years ago, and just recently fell breaking her hip. She was taken to the hospital and death was due to a cerebral hemorrhage.

Mrs. Taylor was born at Elmdale, near Purgitsville, the oldest daughter of the late Elijah and Sarah Taylor Huffman. She lived at Elk Garden at one time.

She is survived by her two daughters, Mrs. Kathleen Wimbrow, and Mrs. Ethel Winfree, both of Salisbury, Md., and a son, Ralph S. Taylor, Washington, D. C. There are three grandchildren, Sarah and Raymond Winfree, and Mrs. Frank Renshaw, and a great grandson, Frank Renshaw, Jr., all of Salisbury. Three sisters, Mrs. Manessah Dasher, Moorefield; Mrs. Harry Hendrickson, Purgitsville, and Mrs. W. C. High, Moundsville, and a brother Arthur Huffman, Purgitsville, also survive.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon in Salisbury.

**Crites Funeral Held**

Edward Judy Crites, 19, died at his home near Bethel, Saturday, February 22, 1947. Burial services were held Tuesday afternoon, 2 p. m., at the Old Pine Church, Purgitsville, Rev. Charles Kernan officiating. Interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

A son of Ranson Crites and Annie E. Arnold Crites, he is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Rosalee Barr and several sisters, among whom are Miss Dulia Crites, Mrs. Joseph Miller and Mrs. Etta Michael.

**Workers Are Named**

Raymond Sindy, chairman of the Red Cross Drive for Hardy county announces a partial list of the workers in the various committees. The campaign opens on March 1.

Named this week were Mrs. Wendel Mathias, Mathias; Warren W. Harper, Durgon; Miss Nancy Keckley, Rock Oak; Mrs. J. M. Duckwall, Lost River; Mrs. John High, Purgitsville; Miss Dorothy Brill, Inkerman; Mrs. Dewey Clayton, Fort Run; Marvin Bott, Needmore; Miss Blanche Hinkle, Flats, and Mrs. W. J. Teets, Moorefield.

Additional community workers will be named next week.

Mr. Sindy emphasized that although Hardy county's quota was somewhat lower than last year it will be necessary to get memberships from citizens.

## Legion Post

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after which the couple left for a trip to Philadelphia. Upon their return they will reside in the Simmons apartments in Westernport.

Mrs. Walker is a graduate of Piedmont High School and is employed at the Luke plant of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company. Mr. Walker is a graduate of Bruce High School, Westernport, and is a veteran of three years' service with the Marine Corps. He is an employe of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company.

**Open House Planned**

The teachers and children of the children's division of the church school will hold open house at the meeting of the WSCS Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the Piedmont Trinity Methodist Church.

Mrs. Rymer Ferrell, superintendent, will give a talk on "What We Are Doing for The Children of Our Church". The three parables will be given by Margaret June Marsh, Carol Ann McConnell and Sonja Sharon. Mrs. Frank Dayton, Miss Virginia Rogers, Mrs. Clyde Wilt and Mrs. Albert Kaiser, teachers of the department, will continue a tour of the class rooms.

Mrs. Frank Dayton will conduct the devotionals. Refreshments will be served by the hospitality committee, headed by Mrs. Raymond W. Reeves.

**Named Scout Chairman**

Mrs. Raymond L. Moore, Westernport, was elected chairman of the Girl Scout committee of the Tri-Towns District, organized last Monday night at the Piedmont library. Miss "Billie" Wortman, Luke, was named vice chairman and Mrs. Carleton Bell, Piedmont, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Althea Correll, Girl Scout executive of Cumberland Council, gave a short talk. The first meeting of the Girl Scout leadership course of the Tri-Towns was held at the Piedmont library with 12 enrolling. The class, which will meet every Monday evening at 7:15 o'clock, is being taught by Mrs. Correll. Others wishing to take the course may make up last night's lesson at the next meeting.

**Brief Items**

The Kappa Delta Bible class of Trinity Methodist Church will meet Monday, March 3, at 8 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Vernon Frye, Maryland Avenue, Westernport.

The Board of Review of the Boy Scouts of the Tri-Towns District will meet Wednesday at 7 p. m. at the Odd Fellows Hall.

Troxell Miller, Paxton Street, underwent an operation in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, yesterday.

The initiatory staff of Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 16, IOOF, will hold practice after the lodge meeting Thursday night.

The Board of Review of the Boy Scouts of the Tri-Towns District will meet Wednesday at 7 p. m. at the Odd Fellows Hall.

The Westernport Girl Scout troop will meet Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

## St. David's Day

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Society of Salem Evangelical and Reformed Church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Lena M. Rizer and Miss LaVerne Martens, Washington Street.

The National Legionnaire, official publication of the American Legion, published in the February issue a list of Legion Posts of the United States with a membership of 1,000 or over. Farrady Post No. 24, Frostburg was in the list with a membership of 1,016.

Mr. and Mrs. Addie Stott, 75 East Main Street, announce the birth of a daughter Sunday in Miners Hospital.

Albert Camp, of the Allegany Ballistics Laboratory, Pinto, was received into the Frostburg Rotary Club Monday at the weekly dinner. The speaker was Arthur Roe, whose topic was "The Requirements of Today's Buyers' Market." High school guests were William Best, Robert Crump, Charles Holsinger, Francis Stowell and Earl Wilson, all of Beall High School. Dr. Paul Miller will present the program next week.

The regular monthly well-baby clinic will be held at Zihlman Community Hall on Friday, February 28, at 2 p. m. This clinic, serving infants and children of preschool age, will be attended by a physician and nurses of the Allegany County Health Department. Parents of the surrounding area are invited to bring their children for examination. There is no charge for this service.

Mt. Chapter No. 15, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet Wednesday at 8 p. m. in the Masonic Temple. The business meeting will be followed by an initiation.

**Frostburg Personals**

Rev. Patrick J. Bradley, pastor of St. Michael's Catholic Church, is home after spending two weeks in Florida.

Earl Kroll, Zihlman, is home from Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, following an operation.

Surgical patients in Miners Hospital include Varner Carpenter, this city; Mrs. William Higgins, Vale Summit; and Miss Virginia Dickey, Frostburg.

Mrs. Carl Layman, Green Street, is a patient in Miners Hospital, where she underwent an operation Monday afternoon.

Mrs. George Richardson and infant son, 205 South Lee Street, Cumberland, are home from Miners Hospital.

Mrs. Russell Griffith and infant daughter, Clarysville, are home from Miners Hospital.

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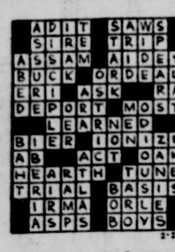
6. Smooth
11. Boring tool
12. Ire
13. Kind of rock
14. A wing (zool.)
15. State flower of Utah
16. Convulsions
17. Spacious
21. Sultan's wife
24. Self
27. Stop! (naut.)
28. Cross-barred fabric
30. Method
31. Make bigger
33. Scoff
34. Famous composer
37. Valise
41. Mistake
43. Plague
44. A landscape
45. Tropical American fiber
46. Shroud
47. City (Ger.)

**DOWN**

1. Fish
2. South American linguistic stock
3. An Amalekite king (Bib.)
4. Replies
5. Before
6. Weaken
7. Amalgamate
8. Vedic god of fire
9. An outlet
10. Epochs
18. Made of oats
19. Ahead
20. Tree
21. Observed
22. A grape (Bot.)
23. Place
24. Organ of hearing
25. Fishgig
26. Poem
29. A large gift
32. Neon (sym.)
33. Glistened
34. Diminutive of Elizabeth
35. Bow
36. American Indian
38. Rodents
39. Little island
40. Part of a hammer head
42. Soak flax
43. Bind



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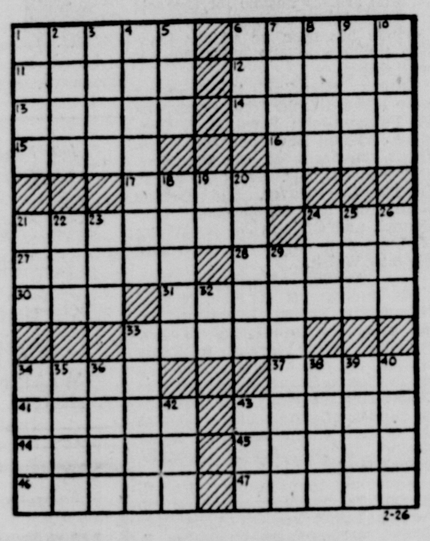

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# Stock Market Suffers Sharp Spill As Rails And Industries Take Skid

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP) — The stock market today suffered one of its sharpest spills of the year with rails and pivotal industrials tumbling 1 to more than 4 points and the high speed ticker tape falling behind for the first time in 1947.

A sluggish downward drift persisted from the opening. A flood of offerings in virtually all departments hit the list at the beginning of the final hour. Liquidation then relaxed and the pace slowed as support arrived. Extreme setbacks were reduced in the majority of cases at the close. Transfers of 1,280,000 shares compared with 810,000 Monday and were the largest since February 13.

An isolated strong spot in the backside was Norfolk & Western. This "blue chip" ran up 18 points in the wake of a 4-for-1 splitup proposal. It finished with a net gain of 14 at 248.

American Can added 1¼ at 95¾ and Sears Roebuck was up ⅝ at 38. American Telephone kept its loss to ⅜ of a point at 171⅞.

Casualties included Allied Chemical, off 4½ at 169½; Union Pacific 3½ at 128, Southern Railway 2¼ at 43⅜, Sante Fe 2 at 90¾, Douglas Aircraft 2 at 70, Chrysler 1¾ at 98¾ and United States Steel 1 at 72½.

Others in the minus ranks were Bethlehem, General Motors, Goodyear, Goodrich, Montgomery Ward, International Harvester, Western Union "A," Electric Power & Light, Kennecott, American Smelting, General Electric, DuPont, Eastman Kodak, United States Gypsum, Standard Oil (NJ), N. Y. Central, Southern Pacific, Great Northern and Baltimore & Ohio.

Backward in the curb were Aluminum Ltd., Cities Service, Consolidated Steel, Middle West Corp., and Solar Aircraft (following a deferred dividend). Elgin National Watch and Jim Brown Stores showed modest improvement. Turnover here was 360,000 shares versus 250,000 yesterday.

Railroad issues dropped fractions to 2 points in the sharpest average decline since mid-January in the bond market.

United States Governments lost a little ground in the over-the-counter market with the Victory Loan Dec. 2½s of '67-'72 down 1-32 at 102 28-32 bid.

Sales totaled $3,860,000, compared with $3,092,000 Monday.

## New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP)—Stock list, today's close:

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|---|---|---|---|
| Air Redn | 35⅞ | Martin Gl | 33⅜ |
| Alg Corp | 4⅝ | Minn Mol | 11 |
| Al C D | 169½ | M K & T | 6¾ |
| Am Can | 95¾ | M Ward | 60¾ |
| Am C Fd | 52 | Nat Bis | 32 |
| Am Rdr | 16 | Nat Dis | 20¼ |
| Am R Mill | 34⅜ | NY Cen | 19⅜ |
| ATT | 171⅞ | Norf Wsn | 248 |
| Am Tob B | 79 | Nor Am Avn | 10 |
| Am W Wks | 17 | Ohio Oil | 22¼ |
| Anaconda | 40½ | Owens Ill Gl | 75¼ |
| Armour | 14⅛ | Pack Mtrs | 7 |
| Avn Corp | 6½ | Pan Amn Air | 13⅞ |
| B and O | 14¾ | Paramt | 27¼ |
| Bendix | 37 | Pa RR | 25 |
| Beth Stl | 93¾ | Philip Morris | 36⅛ |
| Boe Airp | 21¾ | Plym Oil | 22 |
| Budd Co | 13⅜ | Poor & Co | 16¼ |
| Celan | 19 | Prsd Stl Car | 14⅜ |
| C and O | 50⅞ | Pullman | 59 |
| Chrys | 98¾ | Pur Oil | 22⅛ |
| Col G E | 11 | Rad Crp | 9⅜ |
| Com Solv | 23⅞ | Rep Stl | 29 |
| Comw Sou | 3⅝ | R Tob B | 41⅞ |
| Con Ed | 28¼ | Srs Roe | 38 |
| Cont Mtrs | 11¼ | Soc Vac | 14⅜ |
| Cont Oil | 37¾ | Sou Pac | 43⅞ |
| Curt Wr | 5⅞ | Sper Crp | 23⅜ |
| Doug Air | 70 | Sta Br | 36½ |
| duPont | 190 | SO Ind | 39¾ |
| Elau Lite | 62¼ | SO NJ | 65½ |
| Firest | 59 | Studebaker | 22¾ |
| Gen El | 37⅛ | Tidew Oil | 19 |
| Gen Fds | 42⅝ | Timk RB | 49½ |
| Gen Mtrs | 60⅝ | Twent Cent | 35½ |
| Goodrich | 69½ | Un Carbide | 98¼ |
| Goodyr | 59 | Un Aire | 18½ |
| Grhm Pf | 4⅜ | United Carbon | 76½ |
| Gt N Pfd | 46¾ | United Corp | 3⅞ |
| Greyhnd | 33⅝ | US Rubber | 57½ |
| Int N Can | 33⅜ | US St | 74½ |
| Int T & T | 15⅜ | Warner Bros | 16¾ |
| Intst Dept | 24⅝ | Wes Md | 6¾ |
| Kenn Cop | 46¼ | West Elec | 26⅞ |
| Kroger | 47¼ | Yng S T | 68¼ |
| LOF Gl | 54⅞ | | |

## Chicago Grains

CHICAGO, Feb. 25 (AP) — Heavy profit cashing in the closing hour of trading in the grain futures market today reduced prices from their best levels, but not until new highs for the season had been reached in all deliveries except May wheat and the nearby contracts of oats and corn.

Closing futures:

WHEAT—March 2.37½-2.38½, May 2.27-2.27¼, July 2.06-1.07, September 2.00.

CORN—March 1.43¾-⅞, May 1.42⅝-¾, July 1.41½-¾, September 1.39¾-1.40.

OATS—March 80-80⅜, May 75¾-76, July 68⅝-¾, September 66½-¾.

BARLEY—March 1.25½.

LARD — July 29.95, September 29.62, November 25.00.

No wheat.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 1.50; No. 3 yellow, 1.45¼-1.49; No. 4 yellow, 1.40½-1.43; No. 5 yellow, 1.38; sample grade yellow, 1.18¾-1.26½; No. 5 white, 1.45.

OATS—No. 1 heavy mixed, 89½-90; No. 1 heavy white, 90½; No. 1 white, 88¾-89¼; No. 1 sample red, 91.

BARLEY—Nominal: malting, 1.45 - 1.87; feed, 1.15-1.35.

FIELD SEED—Per hundredweight nominal: red clover, 43.00-47.00; sweet clover, 11.50-13.00; red top, 17.50-18.50; timothy seed, 7.40-7.75.

## Position Of Treasury

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 — (AP) — The position of the treasury Feb. 21:

Receipts, $152,646,760.01; expenditures, $91,815,010.15; balance, $5,969,428,783.91; customs receipts for month, $26,873,488.25; receipts fiscal year July 1, $25,860,637,562.38; expenditures fiscal year, $23,755,301,525.68; excess of receipts, $2,105,336,036.70; total debt, $259,506,109,559.83; increase over previous day, $26,311,876.34; gold assets, $20,775,109,319.12.

## New York Poultry

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—Eggs 38,029, steady.

New York, spot quotations follow: (Based on wholesale sales by receivers to jobbers and large retailers).

Whites: Extra fancy heavyweight 45-46.5; extras 1 and 2 large 44-45; extras 1 and 2 medium 43.

Butter 1,327,807; irregular. Wholesale prices on bulk cortons. Creamery, higher than 92 score and premium marks (AA) 73-73.5; 92 score (A) 72.25; 90 score (H) 70.75; 89 score (C) 64.5.

(New tubs usually command one-half cent a pound over the bulk carton price.)

## Baltimore Livestock

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP) — Cattle — 75 — inquiry broad for meager supply slaughter cattle at prices unchanged from Monday; bad road conditions hampering incoming receipts; few small lots medium 850-880 lbs., short fed steers 18.50-20.00; scattered lots common and medium cows of dairy breeding 12.00-14.00 with top medium beef cows to 16.00; canners and cutters 9.50-11.50; odd good beef bull 17.50; medium and good weighty sausage bulls 15.00- 16.00; light and medium weights 11.50-14.50.

Calves — 50 — nominally steady; mixed lots good and choice 150-220 lb. vealers quotable largely 24.00-27.00, strictly choice 28.00; common and medium 12.00-18.00; culls down to 10.00, underweights as low as 5.00.

Hogs — 300 — active, barrows, gilts and sows 1.00 higher than Monday; practical top 30.00; good and choice 120-140 lbs. 28.00; 140-160 lbs. 29.00; 160-180 lbs., 29.50; 180-220 lbs. 30.00; 220-250 lbs., 29.50; 250-300 lbs., 28.50; 300-350 lbs., 27.50; 350 lbs., up 26.50; good and choice sows 24.50 with heavy sows selling considerably lower.

Sheep — 25 — nominally steady; good and choice 80-110 lbs., wooled lambs quotable from 25.50 down; good and choice slaughter ewes 9.00 down.

## Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, Feb. 25—(AP)—(USDA) —Salable hogs 6,500; total 8,500; barrows and gilts 75 cents to 1.50 higher than Monday's average, closing with as much as 50 cents of the full advance lost. Scattered sales good and choice 190-230 lb. weights 29.85-30.00, top 30.00; closing practical top 29.50; sows fully $1 to $1.25 higher than early Monday; bulk good and choice sows 26.00-26.50. Shippers took 300.

Salable cattle 7,500, total 8,000; salable calves 1,000, total 1,000; fed steers and yearlings strong to 50 cents higher, all grades 50 cents to $1 over late last week. Heifers steady to strong, all cows 25 cents higher, bulls steady. Vealers weak to $1 lower. Low choice offerings scaling 1,175 lbs. topping at 27.00 Bulk medium to high good grades 19.00-24.00; comparable heifers 17.50-22.00; stock cattle active, firm, mostly 16.50-19.50; most canner and cutter cows 9.75-11.75; beef cows 12.50-15.00; practical top heavy sausage bulls 16.25; beel bulls 15.75; vealers mostly 27.00 down.

Salable sheep 4,000, total 5,000; slow, slaughter lambs steady to weak, spots 25 cents lower, ewes steady; good to choice fed wooled lambs 23.35-23.75; three cars good and choice 130 lb. wheat-pastured slaughter ewes 9.50; few natives 8.50.

## He'll Have To Watch Without A Watch

CENTRALIA, Ill., (AP) — Night Watchman Ralph Richardson started to make another round, but discovered his bicycle and his time clock, in the 'cycle basket, had been stolen.

## Railroading Fills Gap; He Hates To Bridge It

AP Newsfeatures

PHILADELPHIA—Allen R. Wilson, who retired as a railroad man, claims he has one of the finest minature railroads in the country, with more than 400 feet of track winding through the big basement of his home. He has several locomotives, which he built himself, and enough cars and other assorted equipment to make it look like the real thing.

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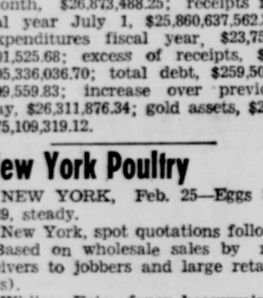


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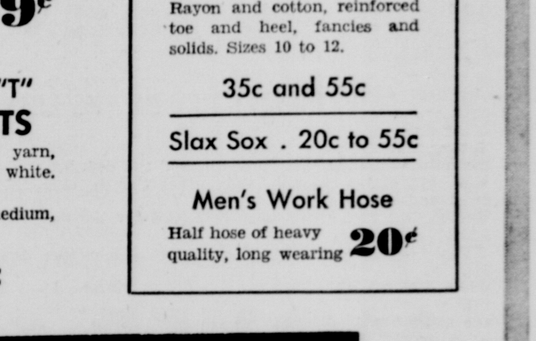

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# HOLLYWOOD

By LOUELLA PARSONS

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 25—Dining out, on cook's night out, is a good way to pick up news, I always say.

I met Darryl Zanuck who leaned over the back of a booth to tell me that Peggy Cummins will be co-starred with Cornel Wilde in "The Black Rose" when Director Henry Hathaway puts it before the cameras in July.

Loretta Young

Peggy is completely over those "Forever Amber" blues and well she might be. She proves she has talent in "The Late George Apley."

Cornel, too, I think has a fresh mental slant. He is no longer pouting because he felt his lovely wife, Pat Knight, wasn't getting the breaks. She turned the trick when she told him that their careers were separate—and she would do her own worrying.

Louis Lighton who is producing Thomas Costain's best-selling novel, has ordered a plane load of rare birds from India and costumes from China.

Not since the days of the old Wally Reid racing thrillers has Hollywood concerned itself much about the speed problem. But Republic is jumping into third gear with a factual dramatization of the hopped-up car problem with a thriller called "Too Young To Die."

In Los Angeles alone, 26 kids were recently brought before Judge A. A. Scott, of the juvenile Court, for participating in hot-rod races in Bouquet and other hide-away canyons. These trials were attended by Al Desmond, the writer and William O'Sullivan, the producer, and much of the actual dialogue goes into the movie.

So far—no cast. Republic figures the idea will carry this expose of the misguided young speed devils.

I feel sure Loretta Young will surprise even her most ardent admirers in "Farmer's Daughter." She surpasses herself.

In other words, she is so good as Katie, the Swedish farm girl who runs for Congress, that she will attain new fame as an actress. I saw a sneak preview of the picture and it's real entertainment. Ethel Barrymore, as the grand dame of politics, is superb. As for Joe Cotton, well, I always like him.

Congratulations to Dore Schary for this movie, which in my opinion is A-plus.

Very interesting is the letter Attorney General Tom Clark sent to Abbott and Costello following a telephone conversation with them. The Attorney General asked the comedians to form a committee of motion picture celebrities to combat juvenile delinquency.

"It will help these under privileged boys to know that the people they admire are interested in helping them. Most of the boys who get in trouble have no one to care what happens to them," said the attorney general.

A fine idea and one close to the hearts of Messrs. Abbott and Costello.

Here's another one of those slightly fabulous Hollywood stories. Husky, six-foot-four, former New York actor Carl Rhodes, who is now a partner of T. Wells in the advertising agency business, was out on the Universal lot last week on business.

He was spotted by Director Jules Dassin, hustled into Producer Mark Hellinger's office. Before Rhodes knew it, he was signed for "Brute Force." Now, between scenes, Rhodes is trying to get Mark's advertising business.

Snapshots of Hallywood collected at Random: Wallace Berry's daughter Carol Ann, will do summer stock in Connecticut in June. It just doesn't seem possible she's a big girl now.

George Hawkins, Louis Bromfield's Good Man Friday, manager, boss, and a few other things, is the house guest of the Humphrey Bogarts.

When Nancy Guild left for her vacation, Vic Mature was at the train to see that she left town in style. The same night, Nancy's ex-boy friend, Ed Lasker, and Nancy Valentine, former Powers Model, were at a table for two at the Santa Monica Mayfair.

Copeland Burg, who has a one-man exhibit in the Biltmore gallery, is a re-write man for the Chicago Herald-American. His paintings have won him recognition all over the country.

The Paul Henreids take off for Europe in a couple of weeks. No actor in Hollywood has done more in donations to the starving nations.

The big thing in the romantic department in New York, I hear, is Natalie Thompson, the former Mrs. Bob Hutton, and Ken Friede, literary agent.

Joan Castle, the girl who's under contract to Cary Grant and his independent production and once mentioned as the girl George Sanders most admired, is romantically interested in Erwin D. Swan, advertising executive. He's the widower of Tamara, killed in the Lisbon crash.

I hear from New York that everyone along Broadway believes that Irene Selznick will make good with "Heart Song," her first play. She has been at every rehearsal and has been working night and day.

Plans are being made to tie up Boris Morros' picture "Carnegie Hall" with the 56th anniversary of Carnegie Hall and National Music Week. I hear through the grapevine, the picture is very good.

Diana Lynn has been buzzing around like a busy little bee on the arm of Bob Neill, the Texas oil millionaire.

There was a big reunion when Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Zukor stopped to speak to Bebe Daniels, who once was his famous stars, and Robert Kane, who was one of the production heads at Paramount. The Zukors were on their way to see a motion picture of their 20th wedding anniversary. That's a picture I have to see. They tell me his advice to men and women who reach the retirement age is marvelous. That's all today.


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2—Rose Cave, R. McPhee 10, 6.20, 4.40; Carreau, R. Bendinelli 30.30, 13.90; Chow, J. Martin 6.90.

3—b-Kerry, C. McCreary 11.20, 3.30, 2.20; Eternallea, J. Sneller 2.60, 2.10; Merry Lass, C. Kirk 2.10.

b—Market Stable entry.

4—Gorget, J. Jessop 8.70, 5, 3.90; Broad Margin, N. Combest 9.40, 6.30; Respire, A. Delara 6.60.

5—Rytina, T. May 6.30, 3.60, 3.30; Sophocles, H. B. Wilson 3.70, 3.60; Bug Juice, A Snider 5.40.

6—Gustaf, J. Jessop 21, 8.30, 4.70; Valdina Decoy, J. Sneller 5.40, 3.40; East, P. Roberts 3.

7—Concerto, T. Atkinson 3.30, 2.70, 2.60; Bert, G. Hettinger 10.70, 5.80; Chance Player, C. Mullins 6.40.

8—Chic Chic, P. Roberts 28.80, 19.20, 8.90; Reno Pu, 20.40, 13.10; Lady Rheanelle, J. Sneller 8.90.

**DAILY DOUBLE—Style Queen and Rose Cave paid $287.20.**

**SUNSHINE PARK**

1—Old Jordan, J. Keenan 11, 4.30, 2.90; Valdina Goblin, A. Applebee 2.90, 2.30; Sabrate, R. Runyon 4.40.

2—Hadatime, E. Danhauer 4.40, 2.90, 3; Redina, C. F. Simpson 5.30, 4.90; Thalel, A. Vessell 4.20.

3—Girl Flyer, J. W. Maroin 27.60, 5.80, 2.70; Gavilan, A. Applebee 2.60, 2.30; Rosie Derby, E Danhauer 2.80.

4—White Time, A. Auer 4.30, 3.30, 2.70; Benjack, W. Mann 3.80, 3; Harv Aethel, W. Gerlock 3.80.

5—Tennessee Kid, D. Boston 21.20, 7.70, 3.20; Bar Rock, J. Owens 4.90, 2.70; Guinea Club, C. F. Simpson 2.60.

6—Fiery Steel, J Robertson 10.60, 4.40, 2.80; Masculine, C. F. Simpson 5.90, 3.50; Morocco Betty, D. Boston 2.60.

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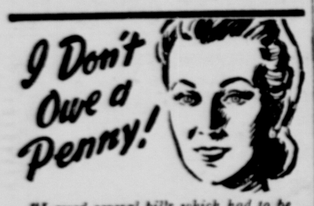


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| xLucky Pair | 113 | xa-Brown Clipper | 108 |
| Foretell | 118 | Camolino | 118 |
| Mayram | 113 | xTulane Cheer | 113 |
| Joe Valenti | 118 | a-Small Stuff | 118 |
| Glider Pilot | 118 | | |

a-J. B. Theall entry.

6—$2,000, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

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|---|---|---|---|
| xLikeable | 115 | Valdina Infant | 118 |
| Icanc | 115 | Toy-Quay | 113 |
| xCol. Teddy | 113 | Nictor | 116 |
| xMarcelle B. | 100 | | |

7—$1,200, 4 and up, 6 f.

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| xFrisky Spirit | 113 | xYoung Buddy | 113 |
| Wlyso | 118 | Cinesar | 118 |
| Rolls High | 113 | Valdina Loria | 116 |
| xBaby Kiddie | 108 | Know How | 122 |
| xHop Picker | 111 | xLeapolino | 104 |
| Hi-Ty | 116 | | |

8—$1,200, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Tide Over | 118 | xAguilucho | 113 |
| xWar Wise | 106 | Air Beauty | 111 |
| Over The Dam | 111 | Real Sweet | 111 |
| Glennporo | 118 | Prince Tick | 118 |
| xImpenetrable | 115 | | |

x-5 lbs. A A C. Listed in order of post positions.

## Sunshine Park Entries

1—$700, allowances, 4 and up, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mr. Grundy | 120 | xSemi Deck | 112 |
| Sure Footed | 120 | Bluebird Star | 115 |
| xMr. Jim | 110 | xWise Don | 115 |
| Zora J. | 115 | Fancy Face | 115 |
| Queens Light | 120 | Alfios | 120 |
| Grand Gay | 120 | | |

2—$700, claiming, 4 and up, 5½ f.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Praetorian | 120 | xBoleyngrey | 110 |
| Flash Town | 120 | Stars Do | 120 |
| Bessie Bliss | 115 | Easter Belle | 113 |
| xCanter's Best | 115 | Jimmies Aide | 120 |
| Fairy Time | 115 | | |

3—$700, claiming, 4 and up, 5½ f.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Bala-Dell | 115 | xFittstown | 115 |
| Tex Greenock | 120 | Pilot Boat | 120 |
| xEarly Riser | 110 | xSupperville | 110 |
| xTinto | 110 | xEnticing Lad | 115 |
| Armistice Day | 120 | | |

4—$700, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Rona Call | 115 | Flag Orland | 120 |
| Old Jordan | 118 | xRasaw | 110 |
| xCorinthian | 115 | Hilda May | 115 |
| xMint Ellan | 110 | xSnow Go | 113 |

5—$800, allowances, 4 and up, 6 f.

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|---|---|---|---|
| x a-Topper | 110 | Junior Four | 115 |
| xLucky Barney | 115 | Waller | 115 |
| Jamesquest | 120 | xGallant | 115 |
| Linwodo Ghost | 117 | xSnark Ess | 118 |
| x aChat Hopkins | 112 | | |

a-G. S. Gadney entry.

6—$800, claiming, 4 and up, fillies and mares, 1 m. and 70 y.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Sorrowful | 111 | xBaby Edith | 113 |
| xCounter | 105 | Busy Edith A. | 113 |
| xValnor | 105 | xLady Elleston | 108 |
| xFunrow | 113 | Gica | 111 |

7—$700, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Lady Pair | 112 | Boxida | 115 |
| Tiptolate | 110 | xWicked | 110 |
| War Commander | 120 | xAnchor Chain | 110 |
| xLead-Em-All | 105 | xOrcus | 110 |

8—$800, claiming, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

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|---|---|---|---|
| xBefore Time | 113 | Alcinous | 118 |
| Sun Galomar | 113 | Bastinado | 118 |
| Pickworth | 108 | xMystic Man | 108 |
| Brave Up | 118 | xOld Town Hill | 108 |

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## Hialeah Entries

1—$3,000, claiming, 4 and up, 1¼ m.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Janegri | 112 | Five Bills | 122 |
| cMemory Boss | 102 | cMillo | 112 |
| Away | 117 | cAppas Tappas | 112 |
| cTragic Ending | 117 | cHelen's Boy | 117 |
| Darby Diadem | 117 | cFagrace | 102 |
| Dutchill B. | 117 | bogada | 117 |
| cDay Dodger | 112 | Which Cup | 117 |
| Copperman | 117 | cHappy Me | 107 |

2—$3,000, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Shifty Play | 120 | Lombock | 120 |
| xKantar Run | 117 | xJellico | 110 |
| xIlefetchit | 117 | Islam's Islam | 117 |
| Twenty Six | 115 | xSet In | 105 |
| Edgemere | 122 | xTennessee Maid | 107 |
| Page 2nd | 117 | French Lure | 110 |
| W. H. Kelly | 117 | History Maker | 115 |
| Delphian | 122 | xStage Star | 110 |

3—$5,000, allowance, fillies, 2, 3 f.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Don't Quote Me | 116 | b-Elastic | 116 |
| Caltha | 116 | xRomance Hill | 107 |
| a-Try Again | 112 | Wee Mistress | 112 |
| xGrand Choice | 107 | Belmont Beauty | 116 |
| Black Vixen | 116 | o-Blue Moire | 116 |
| Foolish Devil | 120 | cCheek | 112 |
| Gay Blush | 112 | | |

a-Wheatley Stable entry.
b-Brookmeade Stable entry.

4—$3,500, allowance, 3, 6 f.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Silver Light | 114 | Cuisine | 117 |
| Maid of Harlem | 111 | Volatile | 116 |
| Miss Sun Beau | 108 | Pompeian | 122 |
| Hat Girl | 106 | Gray Warrior | 116 |
| xHelene | 106 | xPie Lady | 109 |
| Draw One | 116 | Coral Star | 111 |
| Joe Mandell | 116 | Botye | 119 |
| xPost Time | 111 | Ned Luck | 116 |

5—$4,000, Grade D, 4 and up, 6 f.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Suzerain | 121 | Dance Team | 118 |
| Knight's Gift | 102 | Happy Flying | 110 |
| Fly-Charlie | 118 | Erigeron | 116 |
| Medal | 116 | xAlways | 97 |
| Dutch Raider | 121 | | |

6—$15,000 added, 3 and up, 1½ m.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Tel O'Sullivan | 118 | Lion Rampant | 108 |
| Attendant | 116 | Top Reward | 110 |
| Real Short | 108 | Stan Tracy | 115 |
| Cherish | 108 | a-Bel Reigh | 110 |
| Bimont | 107 | Economical | 102 |
| Whiffletree | 114 | a-Briarcliff | 108 |
| Frere Jacques | 130 | | |

a-Mrs. T. Christopher entry.

7—$3,500, claiming, 4 and up, 1 3-16 m.

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|---|---|---|---|
| xOpen Palm | 114 | Economical | 117 |
| Lucifer | 117 | xFly Off | 107 |
| xSilver Plate | 114 | Gigolbury | 122 |
| a-His Daughter | 112 | Battlefire | 122 |
| Bet Me | 119 | Shush | 117 |
| Jolly Soul | 122 | a-Dolly Varden | 112 |
| Complex | 122 | xMy Malcha | 107 |

a-Solomon and Kelly entry.

8—$4,000, allowance, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Stan Tracy | 121 | On The River | 115 |
| Whiffletree | 115 | xOld Iron | 103 |
| Pot O' Luck | 124 | Sea Wolf | 121 |
| Tel O'Sullivan | 121 | xBallast | 116 |
| Blue Badge | 116 | | |

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## TODAY'S SELECTIONS

By BUCK WEAVER
The Louisville Times

**HIALEAH (FAST)**

1—Abogada, Darby Diadem, Away.
2—Delphian, Tennessee Maid, Shifty Play.
3—Don't Quote Me, Caltha, Blue Moire.
4—Gray Warrior, Botye, Maid of Harlem.
5—Dutch Raider, Erigeron, Dance Tteam.
6—Frere Jacques, Attendant, Whiffletree.
7—Gigolbury, Battlefire, Jolly Soul.
8—Sea Wolf, Pot O' Luck, On The River.

**BEST BET—Don't Quote Me.**

**FAIRGROUNDS (FAST)**

1—Pari King, My Reward, Pollenator.
2—Herbie, Border Voluble, Dicky.
3—Diavolo Chief, Port Wise, Tricky Willie.
4—Eventide, Little Chip, Come Tiger.
5—Theall entry, Foretell, Glider Pilot.
6—Likeable, Icanc, Col. Teddy.
7—Young Buddy, Know How, Hop Picker.
8—War Wise, Impenetrable, Tide Over.

**BEST BET—Diavolo Chief.**

## Armed Arrives

BURBANK, Calif., Feb. 25 (AP)—Warren Wright's race horse, Armed, arrived here by air today from Miami, Fla., to compete in Saturday's $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap.

Trainer Jimmy Jones, who accompanied the gelding aboard a chartered American air lines DC-4, said Armed stood the one-stop flight well.

The trip took 12 hours, 10 minutes flying time.

## YESTERDAY'S SCRATCHES

**HIALEAH PARK:** 1—Little Gaucha, Little Knick, Ocerpower, Eternal Donna; 2—Outsider, Glenwood Boy, Wiseshot, Romance Boy, Histrionic; 3—Four Ply, Radar Man, Gay Gunner, Flying Raid; 4—Pied Piper, Erigeron, Top Dollar, Degage, Guy Parks; 5—Hygros Ginger; 7—Dixie Sweep, Gay Moonbeam, Lexingtonian; 8—Over The Hill, Florida Jack.

**SUNSHINE PARK:** 2—Lindas Wash.

**FAIR GROUNDS:** 1—Hasty Million, Audrey M., Loango, Two By Two, Gentle Savage, Rareback; 2—Wm. Dash, Foretell, Michael J., Miss Pete, Grace Hy, Sweet Hope; 3—Audo, Merriment, Miss Richards, Tigerita, Angling, Fast Slave; 5—Country Miss, Tony G., My Scott, Damions Ariel, Faff, Pie Man, Cinder King; 6—Wow, Bank Balance, Salute; 8—Red Del, Chislam.


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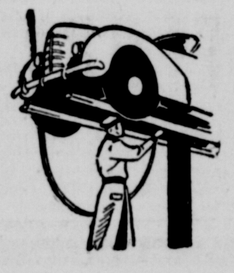

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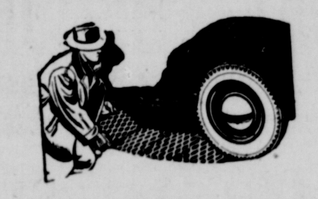

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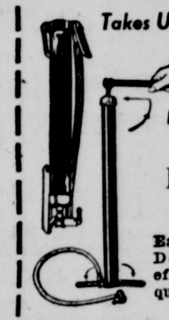

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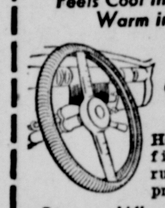

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# Allegany Wins, Fort Hill And Keyser Lose

## Campers Conquer Ridgeley, 38-33, To Avenge Loss

### AHS Is Given Scare But Cops 8th In Row

By JOHN W. KNOWLTON

Avenging an earlier defeat Coach Walter "Bill" Bowers' Allegany High Campers tripped the Ridgeley High Blackhawks 38-33 last night at Campobello, before a turnout of approximately 400 basketball fans, to rack up their eighth straight victory.

Coach Jesse Riggleman's visiting Blackhawks gave the WMI champions a terrific scare before going down to defeat. Throughout the first 12 minutes of play the Campers played like champs while building up an impressive 23-10 lead over the seemingly hapless Riggleman quint. Then the roof seemed to cave in and the Blackhawks found themselves to completely dominate play until they had tossed in 13 straight points to knot the count for the first time in the ball game at 23-23 with 3:00 to go in the third period.

**Final Spurt Decides**

Composing themselves after a hurriedly called time out the Campers came back with Gene Shaw and Ned Clopton leading the way to again take the lead and they were never headed thereafter, although Ridgeley trailed by only two points at 30-28 and 34-32 late in the final quarter. However at this point Clopton netted a beautiful long shot, then tossed in two free tosses within the space of seconds and the game was out of reach of the courageous and hard-fighting Ridgeleyites.

Tommy Powers started things rolling with a pivot toss for two points from the foul circle seconds after the opening whistle and Bill Brehany hooped one of two fouls for Ridgeley. Then the Campers turned on the steam and outclassing a completely befuddled and floundering Blackhawk team ran the score to 11-1 on buckets by Shaw, Clopton, Powers and Shaw and a foul toss by the red-headed Alco guard. Brehany broke the ice for Ridgeley with a layup 50 seconds before the close of the period and the score was 13-5 Allegany as the stanza ended.

Continuing their barrage the Alcomen upped the tally to 23-10 as Shaw burned the cords with a never-miss brand of ball. Then Ridgeley caught fire. Clyde "Fats" Wilson, Alfred Abe and big Joseph Moss scored fielders in quick succession. Roy Comer's foul made it 23-17 Allegany at halftime.

Wilson and Brehany connected for long set shots and Abe's layup brought the crowd to its feet as it tied the score at 23-23, with only three minutes remaining in the canto. Allegany had gone scoreless for a period of nine minutes. Clopton's goal and Wilson's foul made it 25-24 and then Shaw and Jim Clingan tallied from the field to put Allegany on the long end of a 29-24 count at the end of the third period.

**Hawks Lose Eighth**

Ridgeley continued to carry the fight to the favored Campers in the final setto but just weren't able to quite make it. Shaw and Moss traded fielders and Abe and Comer sandwiched shots around Shaw's pretty toss from the corner and Ridgeley trailed 33-30. Shaw's free throw and Abe's fielder made it 34-32 to set the stage for Clopton to take over and pull the game out of danger for the Bowersmen. The defeat was the eighth for Ridgeley in 20 games this season while it gave Allegany a 15-5 record.

The fiery-haired Shaw was almost completely the whole show for Allegany. In on every play, continually battling for possession of the leather and pacing the Alco attack with 20 points on eight fielders and four of five fouls, Shaw was the outstanding player on the court. Clopton and Clingan ably assisted the battling redhead. Brehany with nine points and Abe with eight were Ridgeley's best bets while Moss and "Pats" Wilson played good floor games for the losers.

**A.H.S. Reserves Win**

The Allegany High School Reserves rallied in the final quarter to eke out a 35-30 decision over the B & O Backshop quint last night in the preliminary affair to the Allegany-Ridgeley basketball game. Ruehl topped the scorers with nine points for Allegany while Collins had eight for the Backshoppers. The lineups:

| ALLEGANY | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Clopton, f | 4 | 2-2 | 10 |
| Powers, f | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Hillcary, c | 1 | 0-3 | 2 |
| Shaw, g | 8 | 4-5 | 20 |
| Lease, g | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Clingan, sub | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Totals | 16 | 6-11 | 38 |

Non-scoring subs—Storey.

| RIDGELEY | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Abe, f | 4 | 0-3 | 8 |
| Flanagan, f | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Moss, c | 3 | 0-2 | 6 |
| Wilson, g | 2 | 2-2 | 6 |
| Brehany, g | 4 | 1-2 | 9 |
| Comer, sub | 1 | 1-4 | 3 |
| Jewell, sub | 0 | 1-1 | 1 |
| Totals | 14 | 5-14 | 33 |

Points by periods:
RIDGELEY ..... 5 12 7 9—33
ALLEGANY ..... 13 10 6 9—38
Referees—Roby and Fearer.

| ALLEGANY RESERVES | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Twigg, f | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| McGregor, f | 3 | 0-2 | 6 |
| Vermall, c | 1 | 2-2 | 4 |
| Lilys, g | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Ruehl, g | 4 | 1-2 | 9 |
| Lookabaugh, sub | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Cunningham, sub | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Pennel, sub | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Totals | 16 | 3-7 | 35 |

| B & O BACKSHOP | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mason, f | 3 | 0-0 | 6 |
| Mullan, f | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Hartung, c | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Hughes, g | 2 | 1-1 | 5 |
| Sterne, g | 2 | 1-1 | 5 |
| Collins, sub | 3 | 2-2 | 8 |
| Totals | 13 | 4-5 | 30 |

Non-scoring subs—Windemuth.
Points by periods:
B. & O. ..... 8 2 10 10—30
ALLEGANY ..... 6 6 8 15—35
Referee—Clower.

## Lacy Gets 31 Points

WESTMINSTER, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—Loyola's scoring sensation, Jim Lacy, led his team to a 75-66 victory over Western Maryland in a Mason-Dixon conference contest tonight.

Lacy, who accounted for 31 of Loyola's points, was a good part of the show.

**MAKE POINTS**—Two of the probable all-conference choices in the Big Nine basketball race this winter, Bob Cook, above, of Wisconsin, and Paul Huffman, below, of Purdue, are leading the scoring parade. Cook, with 239 points in 17 games, is top scorer in the loop.

## Somerset Sweeps Bedford Series By 50-33 Score

### Bud Fisher Gets 26 Points For Bisons

BEDFORD, Pa., Feb. 25—Handing the Bedford Bisons their sixth defeat in 20 games this season the Somerset High cagers easily swept the season series with a 50 to 33 decision over the locals here tonight.

Bud Fisher, sharpshooting forward for the losers, put on a one-man shooting exhibition as he caged 10 of his team's 13 goals and hooped six of seven free throws for 26 of Bedford's 33 points. However, Williams, Bison center, was the only other cager to score from the field for Bedford and the Bisons were unable to stop the 21-goal barrage laid down by the Somerset countians.

Bedford hopped off to a 7-5 lead at the end of the initial quarter but Somerset poured 16 counters through the hoops to lead 21-12 at halftime and were never headed again. Third period score was 40-21 Somerset.

Emert was top man for the winners with seven fielders and three of five fouls for 17 points. Mostoller and Courtney ably assisted their teammate with eight and nine tallies respectively. The lineups:

| SOMERSET | G | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Albright, f | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Pfrogner, f | 0 | 1-2 | 1 |
| Rosbaugh, c | 4 | 1-1 | 9 |
| Emert, g | 7 | 3-5 | 17 |
| Mostoller, g | 3 | 2-3 | 8 |
| Burdeau, sub | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Courtney, sub | 4 | 1-1 | 9 |
| Shaffer | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Hay | 0 | 0-2 | 0 |
| Kehoe, sub | 0 | 0-1 | 0 |
| Totals | 21 | 8-16 | 50 |

| BEDFORD | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bergie, f | 0 | 0-2 | 0 |
| Fisher, f | 10 | 6-7 | 26 |
| Williams, c | 3 | 0-0 | 6 |
| Stroup, g | 0 | 0-1 | 0 |
| Arnold, g | 0 | 1-2 | 1 |
| Totals | 13 | 7-12 | 33 |

Non-scoring subs—Foy, Budd, Marshall.
Points by periods:
SOMERSET ..... 5 16 19 10—50
BEDFORD ..... 7 5 9 12—33
Referees—Rich and Horner.

## Honus Wagner Heads For Training Camp

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 25 (AP)—Honus Wagner, 73-year-old coach of the Pittsburgh Pirates, making his first trip to Florida, headed the small group of players that left here today for the club's training camp at Miami Beach.

Others in the party included Infielders Frankie Gustine and Lee Handley and Outfielders Al Gionfriddo, Frank Kalin and Stanley Wentzel. The pitchers and catchers have been working out since last Saturday and will be joined by the rest of the squad Thursday.

## Thomas Will Play At Parsons High

In scholastic basketball games on tap for tonight, Thomas will play at Parsons in the series between Tucker county schools and Oakland will play hosts to Fellowsville of Preston county.

Parsons upset Thomas on February 7 by the score of 33-32 at Thomas. The Panthers have won 15 games and lost 2 while Thomas's record is 15 wins, 3 losses.

## Deeds Recorded At Court House

Two deeds were filed for record in Allegany County Land records yesterday from John and Lillian S. Stewart and Owen E. and Susan B. Hitchins, conveying to The Market Buildings, Inc., property on the East Side of Broadway, Frostburg for $19,800 and property on North Centre street here for $19,475.

Gilbert Murphy conveyed to Clyde V. and Gladys Marsh, 16.87 acres along Stoney Run for $450.

The Old Savage Fire Brick Company, Inc. to Clifford O. and Martha A. Albright, property in Ellerslie known as the Brickyard Lot and Log House Lot for $8,000.

Dorothy R. Williams to Carl A. and Ruth W. Low, Avondale avenue lot for $200.

## Sentinels Suffer 41 To 39 Setback At Martinsburg

### Bulldogs Even Series As Locals Lose 8th

MARTINSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 25—Fort Hill High School of Cumberland boosted its point total to 1,003 for the season but went down to defeat at the hands of the Martinsburg High School Bulldogs here tonight by the score of 41 to 39.

In handing the Marylanders their eighth loss in 25 starts, Coach John Cobourne's aggregation atoned for a 36-30 setback suffered in Cumberland early in the season.

Martinsburg stepped away to a 13-8 lead at the quarter and held the upper hand throughout but the Sentinels made it a close battle all the way. The score was 27-20 at the intermission and 33-30 at the conclusion of the third stanza.

Elmer Freeland, Fort Hill forward, grabbed high point honors with seven fielders and 15 points while Laidlow and Fowler paced the Bulldogs with 21 and 11 markers. Charley Lattimer scored nine points for Fort Hill in the role of substitute while Milford Dean played a nice floor game.

Fort Hill will windup its regular schedule on Thursday by playing Ridgeley High School in Ridgeley. Lineups:

| MARTINSBURG | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Laidlow, f | 5 | 2-2 | 12 |
| Robertson, f | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Morris, c | 2 | 2-4 | 6 |
| Seibert, g | 2 | 0-2 | 4 |
| Fowler, g | 5 | 1-2 | 11 |
| Brenner, sub | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Totals | 18 | 5-11 | 41 |

| FORT HILL | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Freeland, f | 7 | 1-1 | 15 |
| Dean, f | 2 | 3-3 | 7 |
| Cage, c | 0 | 1-2 | 1 |
| Manges, g | 3 | 0-1 | 6 |
| Frye, g | 0 | 1-2 | 1 |
| Lattimer, sub | 4 | 1-2 | 9 |
| Totals | 16 | 7-11 | 39 |

Points by periods:
MARTINSBURG ..... 13 14 6 8—41
FORT HILL ..... 8 12 10 9—39
Referees—Stuckey and Derr.

## PARSONS HI NOTCHES 15TH OVER COALTON

COALTON, W. Va., Feb. 25—The Parsons High Panthers copped their 15th win in 17 games this season with an easy 58-30 decision over Coalton High here last night.

L. Roy led the 21-goal parade for Parsons with 22 tallies on ten fielders and two of two fouls. Mastergoe was high for Coalton with seven points.

Coach Homer Brooks announced the game originally scheduled with Pickens at Parsons tonight had been cancelled. The Panthers next contest will be with Thomas at Parsons tomorrow. The lineups:

| PARSONS | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| L. Roy, f | 10 | 2-2 | 22 |
| D. Gilmore, f | 1 | 0-3 | 2 |
| Nestor, c | 2 | 6-11 | 10 |
| G. Gilmore, g | 1 | 6-9 | 8 |
| Phillips, g | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| D. Roy | 5 | 1-1 | 11 |
| J. Gilmore | 1 | 1-2 | 3 |
| Totals | 21 | 16-28 | 58 |

| COALTON | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mastergoe, f | 1 | 5-7 | 7 |
| Miller, f | 2 | 1-3 | 5 |
| Moran, c | 1 | 3-3 | 5 |
| Sylvester, g | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Ross, g | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Marco | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Goddin | 2 | 1-1 | 5 |
| Totals | 10 | 10-16 | 30 |

Points by periods:
PARSONS ..... 7 11 20 20—58
COALTON ..... 8 8 2 12—30
Referee—Hart.

## Ramblers Defeat Cavaliers

The Mapleside Ramblers chalked up their tenth straight victory without a defeat with a 45-35 decision over the LaSalle Cavaliers last night on the SS. Peter and Paul court. Bill Andrews paced the winners with 27 points while Luttrell caged 12 for the losers. The lineups:

| MAPLESIDE RAMBLERS | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bob Ruppenkamp, f | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Eirich, f | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Ray Ruppenkamp, c | 2 | 5-5 | 9 |
| Andrews, g | 13 | 1-1 | 27 |
| Rogan, g | 3 | 1-3 | 7 |
| Totals | 19 | 7-10 | 45 |

| LaSALLE CAVALIERS | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Davis, f | 1 | 1-4 | 3 |
| Ingram, f | 3 | 0-0 | 6 |
| Luttrell, c | 6 | 0-0 | 12 |
| Wheeler, g | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Porter, g | 4 | 0-3 | 8 |
| Beck, sub | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Totals | 17 | 1-7 | 35 |

Points by periods:
M'SIDE RAMBLERS .... 6 16 13 10—45
LaSALLE CAVALIERS .. 10 7 5 13—35
Referee—McGreevy.

**GRETCHEN MERRILL**, the Boston figure skating star, now is the world's figure skating champion, having won her title in the international meet held in St. Moritz, Switzerland.

## Fort Cumberland Post And Moose Win Games

### Amvets And Caseys Lose In Interstate

INTERSTATE LEAGUE
STANDING OF THE TEAMS

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lonaconing Legion | 9 | 1 | .900 |
| Cumberland Legion | 8 | 2 | .800 |
| Cumberland Moose | 8 | 2 | .800 |
| Cumberland Amvets | 5 | 5 | .500 |
| Fulton Myers Post | 4 | 5 | .444 |
| Mt. Savage VFW | 2 | 6 | .250 |
| Cumberland K. of C. | 1 | 8 | .111 |
| Paw Paw Legion | 1 | 9 | .100 |

GAME TONIGHT
Moose vs. Amvets (8-30)

Fort Cumberland Post, American Legion, and the Cumberland Loyal Order of Moose remained tied for second place in the Interstate Basketball League's second half race by winning games last night on SS. Peter and Paul court.

Paced by Jimmie MacFarlane and Tommy Geatz, who collected 40 points, the local American Legion took the measure of the Cumberland Amvets, 61 to 48.

Charles "Snap" Morris and Norman Mason shared 44 points at the Moose quintet defeated the Cumberland Knights of Columbus.

In the latter game Mason, Angellatta and Swach went out on personal fouls and Baker, who had five personals plastered on him, remained in the game as the Caseys had no other substitutes available.

Tonight the Amvets and Moose quints will tangle on SS. Peter and Paul court at 8:30 o'clock. Lineups:

| FORT CUMBERLAND | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| T. Geatz, f | 9 | 1-4 | 19 |
| McIntyre, f | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Brant, c | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Cox, g | 1 | 1-1 | 3 |
| MacFarlane, g | 10 | 1-3 | 21 |
| Sterne, sub | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Twigg, sub | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Bell, sub | 3 | 2-3 | 8 |
| Totals | 28 | 5-12 | 61 |

| AMVETS | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sherman, f | 4 | 2-3 | 10 |
| DeHart, f | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Boyle, c | 8 | 4-6 | 20 |
| Burns, g | 4 | 1-1 | 9 |
| Orndorff, g | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Lee | 2 | 0-2 | 4 |
| Gerdeman | 0 | 1-1 | 1 |
| Whitman | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Totals | 20 | 8-14 | 48 |

Points by periods:
LEGION ..... 8 8 21 24—61
AMVETS ..... 14 13 6 15—48
Referee—Twigg.

| MOOSE | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mason, f | 6 | 4-7 | 16 |
| Rice, f | 4 | 1-1 | 9 |
| Morris, c | 12 | 4-5 | 28 |
| Wagner, g | 4 | 1-5 | 9 |
| Angellatta, g | 0 | 0-1 | 0 |
| Hollen, sub | 1 | 2-4 | 4 |
| Minnicks | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Totals | 27 | 12-23 | 66 |

| K. OF C. | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Snider, f | 3 | 5-5 | 11 |
| Baker, f | 4 | 7-12 | 15 |
| LaNeve, c | 7 | 0-2 | 14 |
| Swach, g | 3 | 3-6 | 9 |
| Becker, g | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Cessna | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Totals | 20 | 15-26 | 55 |

Points by periods:
MOOSE ..... 14 12 22 18—66
K. OF C. ..... 11 15 17 12—55
Referee—Gerard.

## LaSalle Athletes Dined By Mothers

### Eighty Attend Supper Sponsored By Women

The LaSalle Mothers' Club honored all LaSalle High School's athletes at a supper last evening in St. Patrick's School Social Center. Eighty attended the affair.

Mrs. George Hughes, president of the club, welcomed the guests and Brother Clement, principal of LaSalle, praised the athletes for the loyalty shown toward their school and thanked the members of the club for the excellent meal which they prepared and served.

Artistic name cards at each plate were designed by Eddie Devine, of Westernport, president of the student council of Potomac State School, Keyser.

Brother Clement, Edward, Gregory, Declan and Thomas; Coach John J. Long, Police and Fire Commissioner William V. Keegan, former LaSalle coach; John L. Borchert, public address system commentator for LaSalle home games; Jay Bechtol, of Radio Station WTBO, Ross W. Prysock, of the Times and C. V. Burns, of the News, occupied places at the main table.

The dinner was something new inasmuch as it was a "speechless" affair and proved to be an enjoyable event.

Football movies concluded the program.

**"DOC" IN DOG HOUSE**

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—(AP)—Felix (Doc) Blanchard, All America fullback and 1945 indoor IC-4A shot put champion, has been restricted to the military academy campus for skipping a class and thus will not be able to compete in the 1947 games at Madison Square Garden Saturday night, it was learned today.

## Fort Ashby Tops Beall High, 39-36

### West Virginia Team Avenges 59-27 Loss

FORT ASHBY, W. Va., Feb. 25—Going over the .500 mark in won and loss standings with their 10th victory in 19 starts the Fort Ashby quint avenged an earlier 59-57 loss by defeating the Beall High Mountaineers of Frostburg, Md., here tonight by a score of 39-36.

The winners staved off a desperate last quarter rally by the Mountaineers to eke out their three-point decision after leading 12-11 at the quarter, 23-16 at halftime and 31-22 at the close of the third period.

Don Linn paced his mates to victory with 11 points while Nelson was top man for Beall with 13 tallies. Each team hooped 13 field goals but the Fort Ashby cagers pulled the game out of the fire by connecting for 13 of 20 free throws while Beall caged only 10 of a like number. The lineups:

| FORT ASHBY | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Shaffer, f | 3 | 1-1 | 7 |
| Davis, f | 2 | 5-5 | 9 |
| Boatman, c | 3 | 1-5 | 7 |
| Blauch, g | 1 | 1-2 | 3 |
| Linn, g | 4 | 3-5 | 11 |
| Wolford | 0 | 2-2 | 2 |
| Totals | 13 | 13-20 | 39 |

| BEALL | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Farrady, f | 0 | 2-5 | 2 |
| Nelson, f | 6 | 1-2 | 13 |
| Truly, c | 4 | 0-1 | 8 |
| Best, g | 2 | 3-4 | 7 |
| Stewart, g | 1 | 3-4 | 5 |
| Murray, sub | 0 | 1-4 | 1 |
| Totals | 13 | 10-20 | 36 |

Non-scoring subs—Coleman.
Points by periods:
FORT ASHBY ..... 12 11 8 8—39
BEALL ..... 11 5 6 14—36
Referee—Hahn and Morehead.

## Paw Paw Scores Over Bruce 48-30

### Victors Rack Up 20 Points In 4th Heat

PAW PAW, W. Va., Feb. 25—Pounding the hoops for 20 points in the final period the Paw Paw High Mountaineers turned an otherwise close game into a rout and defeated Bruce High of Westernport, Md., here tonight by the score of 48 to 30.

With Taylor leading the way with 12 markers Paw Paw hopped off to a 7-6 margin at the quarter and increased the lead to 28-24 at the close of three periods of play after a 15-15 deadlock at halftime.

Both teams exhibited poor showings at the 15-foot stripe with Paw Paw hooping only four of 15 tries while Bruce netted four of 12 free tosses. Moran was high man for the losers with 14 tallies. The lineups:

| PAW PAW | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Taylor, f | 6 | 0-0 | 12 |
| Crouse, f | 4 | 0-0 | 8 |
| Anderson, c | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Kaylor, g | 3 | 2-8 | 8 |
| Zorich, g | 4 | 1-2 | 9 |
| Cadigan | 4 | 1-5 | 9 |
| Robertson, sub | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Totals | 22 | 4-15 | 48 |

| BRUCE | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hannon, f | 4 | 0-0 | 8 |
| Davisson, f | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Moran, c | 7 | 0-1 | 14 |
| Cain, g | 2 | 3-5 | 7 |
| Broadwater, g | 0 | 1-4 | 1 |
| Shaffer, sub | 0 | 0-2 | 0 |
| Totals | 13 | 4-12 | 30 |

Non-scoring subs—Fitzgerald, Karlewitz, Wills, Howard.
Points by periods:
PAW PAW ..... 7 8 13 20—48
BRUCE ..... 6 9 9 6—30
Referee—Angellatta.

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## Moorefield Snaps KHS Winning Streaks, 40-36

### 850 See Paugh's Five Win On Keyser Court

KEYSER, W. Va., Feb. 25—Keyser's dual winning streak was snapped here tonight by the Yellow Jackets of Moorefield High School to the tune of 40 to 36 as Coach Fred Clark's passers concluded their 1946-47 season in the Potomac Valley Conference.

It was Keyser's thirteenth game at home and the loss smashed a 12-game winning streak. The setback also kept Keyser from going through the conference campaign without a defeat, the locals having won 11 straight until tonight. Keyser, however, clinched the P. V. C. title by defending Ridgeley last Friday.

By winning tonight's battle, Coach Johnny Paugh's passers from Hardy County squared up the season's series with the champions. Keyser took the opener at Moorefield in January by the score of 43-41 in two overtime periods.

Moorefield gained a 4-0 lead at the start of the game on baskets by Welton and Kessel but the home team evened up matters at 4-4 on fielders by Quinn and Blamer. After charity tosses by Sherman and Blamer again tied things up at 5-5, Bob Keller's double-decker sent Moorefield out in front and the Jackets were never headed. The first period ended, 14-8, while at the half the score was 23-16. Moorefield enjoyed a 10-point lead at 26-16 in the third quarter but before the teams battled it out in the final quarter the South Branch quint's edge was reduced to six points at 30-26.

The game was rough, fast and exciting and was witnessed by 850 persons. Fifteen personal fouls were plastered on Keyser and 13 were called on the winners.

Don Smith and Dwight Kessell shared high point honors for Moorefield with 11 tallies each. Fred Blamer and Tommy Quinn with 13 and 12 were Keyser's chief scoring threats.

Keyser's Reserves defeated the Moorefield Reserves in the opener of the dual bill, 41 to 26. Lineups:

| MOOREFIELD | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Smith, f | 5 | 1-4 | 11 |
| Sherman, f | 0 | 3-4 | 3 |
| Welton, c | 1 | 0-2 | 2 |
| Kessel, g | 4 | 3-4 | 11 |
| Keller, g | 3 | 0-0 | 6 |
| Hott | 3 | 1-1 | 7 |
| Harman | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Totals | 16 | 8-15 | 40 |

| KEYSER | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| See, f | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Blamer, f | 4 | 5-7 | 13 |
| Cline, c | 0 | 1-1 | 1 |
| Jones, g | 3 | 0-2 | 6 |
| Quinn, g | 4 | 4-5 | 12 |
| Horner, sub | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Lee, sub | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Totals | 13 | 10-16 | 36 |

Points by periods:
MOOREFIELD ..... 14 9 7 10—40
KEYSER ..... 8 8 8 12—36
Referees—Pence and H. Miers.

### Basketball

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## PETERSBURG SCORES 7TH STRAIGHT WIN

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 25—Racking up their seventh straight victory and their 10th in 15 Potomac Valley Conference tilts the Petersburg High Vikings easily took the measure of Mathias High here tonight by a score of 46 to 20.

The Vikings led all the way as Kuykendall and Smith pounded the hoops for 32 points between them. The former netted nine fielders for 18 tallies while the latter had 14 markers. Seldon was high man for Mathias with eight points. Quarter scores were 7-4, 23-5 and 34-11 all with Petersburg on top.

The girls teams of both schools played to a 16-16 deadlock in the preliminary contest. The lineups:

| PETERSBURG | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Smith, f | 6 | 2-3 | 14 |
| Kuykendall, f | 9 | 0-2 | 18 |
| Deadrick, c | 2 | 1-1 | 5 |
| Vance, g | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Mowery, g | 0 | 1-1 | 1 |
| Dolly, sub | 3 | 0-1 | 6 |
| Berg, sub | 0 | 0-2 | 0 |
| Totals | 21 | 4-10 | 46 |

Non-scoring subs—Hill, McDonald.

| MATHIAS | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Seldon, f | 4 | 0-0 | 8 |
| Garrett, f | 1 | 2-4 | 4 |
| Miller, c | 2 | 1-1 | 5 |
| Wilkins, g | 1 | 0-2 | 4 |
| Hepner, g | 0 | 1-1 | 1 |
| Totals | 8 | 4-8 | 20 |

Non-scoring subs—Strawderman, Slater.
Points by periods:
PETERSBURG ..... 7 16 11 12—46
MATHIAS ..... 4 1 6 9—20
Referees—Groves and Hill.

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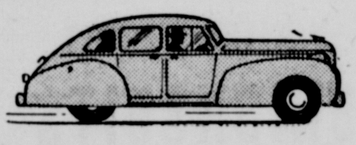

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# Kentucky Will Play In New York Tourney

## Wildcats Accept Invite To Garden Basketball Meet

### Beat Rhode Island In 1946 Finale

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—(AP)—The mighty University of Kentucky Wildcats, winners of last year's tourney and one of the top fives in the country this season, have accepted an invitation to play in the national invitational basketball tournament in Madison Square Garden.

The announcement of Kentucky's acceptance of a bid was made today by Asa Bushnell, secretary of the Eastern College Athletic Conference and chairman of the tournament's selection committee.

Kentucky is the second team named for the Blue Ribbon event which starts in the Garden, March 15. The acceptance of West Virginia which boasts a 15-1 record, was announced yesterday.

**Won 1946 Event**

The Wildcats, who will be making their third appearance in the tourney, won last year by defeating Rhode Island State in the final, 46-45. They have a 5-1 record for the tournament.

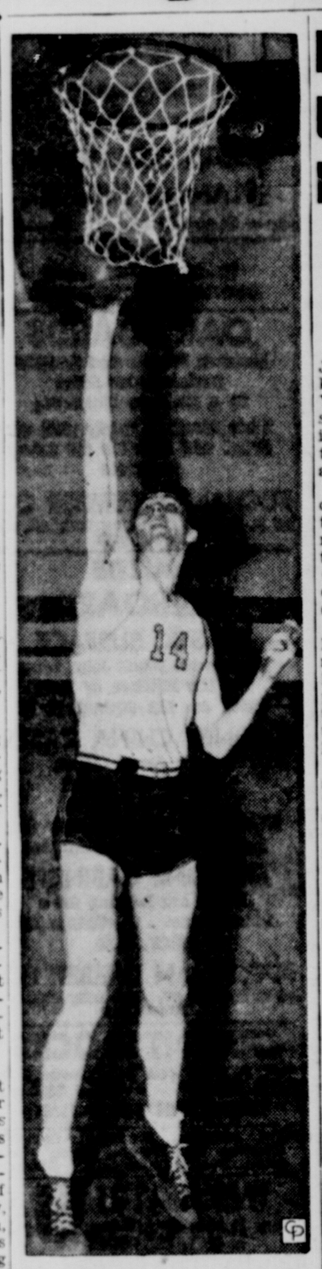
Winners of 27 games this campaign and beaten only by the Oklahoma Aggies and DePaul, Adolph Rupp's boys undoubtedly will be placed among the four seeded teams for the eight-team event.

The Wildcats are favored to capture the annual Southeastern Conference championship tournament starting Thursday at Louisville. After that affair they have one encounter to go, a game against Temple at Louisville March 8.

**Teams Under Consideration**

The selection committee has not disclosed the other teams under consideration for bids, but it is believed that the following teams may be under consideration: Duquesne, Navy, Notre Dame, Syracuse, Rhode Island, St. Joseph's of Philadelphia, Muhlenberg, Bradley, Western Kentucky, Texas Wesleyan, City College of New York, St. John's of Brooklyn, Fordham and Long Island U.

Other teams which may be in the running include Texas, Santa Clara, North Carolina State, Arizona, St. Louis, Oklahoma, Missouri and New York U. A number of these teams, however, may play in the N. C. A. A. championship tournament instead.



BIG BOY—One of the truly "big boys" of basketball is Larry Foust, six-foot, nine-inch tall freshman of LaSalle College, Philadelphia. Lacking stamina to play full time, Larry is sent in when the score gets knotted. He's saved a number of games.

## DiMaggio Will Undergo Second Heel Operation

### Dr. George Bennett Will Wield Knife

SAN JUAN, P. R., Feb. 25—(AP)—Joe DiMaggio, whose injuries have kept him out of the New York Yankees' opening day lineups in six of the eight years he has been in the major leagues, will be flown to the United States tomorrow for a second operation upon his heel.

Larry MacPhail, president of the club, said that DiMaggio would go to Baltimore where Dr. George Bennett of Johns Hopkins would wield the knife "in the next several days." (The Baltimore hospital has a reservation for DiMaggio for Saturday).

DiMaggio was operated upon in New York on Jan. 6 for the removal of a bone spur from his left heel and Dr. Mal Stevens, club physician, said the return visit to the hospital was to graft skin over the original opening to facilitate its healing.

"Clinically speaking," Dr. Stevens added, "there is no doubt that Joe will be in the lineup on opening day." He said he expected DiMaggio to rejoin the Yankees when they reach St. Petersburg, Fla., on March 11.

Should DiMaggio, however, be on the bench when the Yankees tangle with Washington at the capital on April 14 it would be no new experience for the center fielder who twice has been voted the most valuable player in the American League.

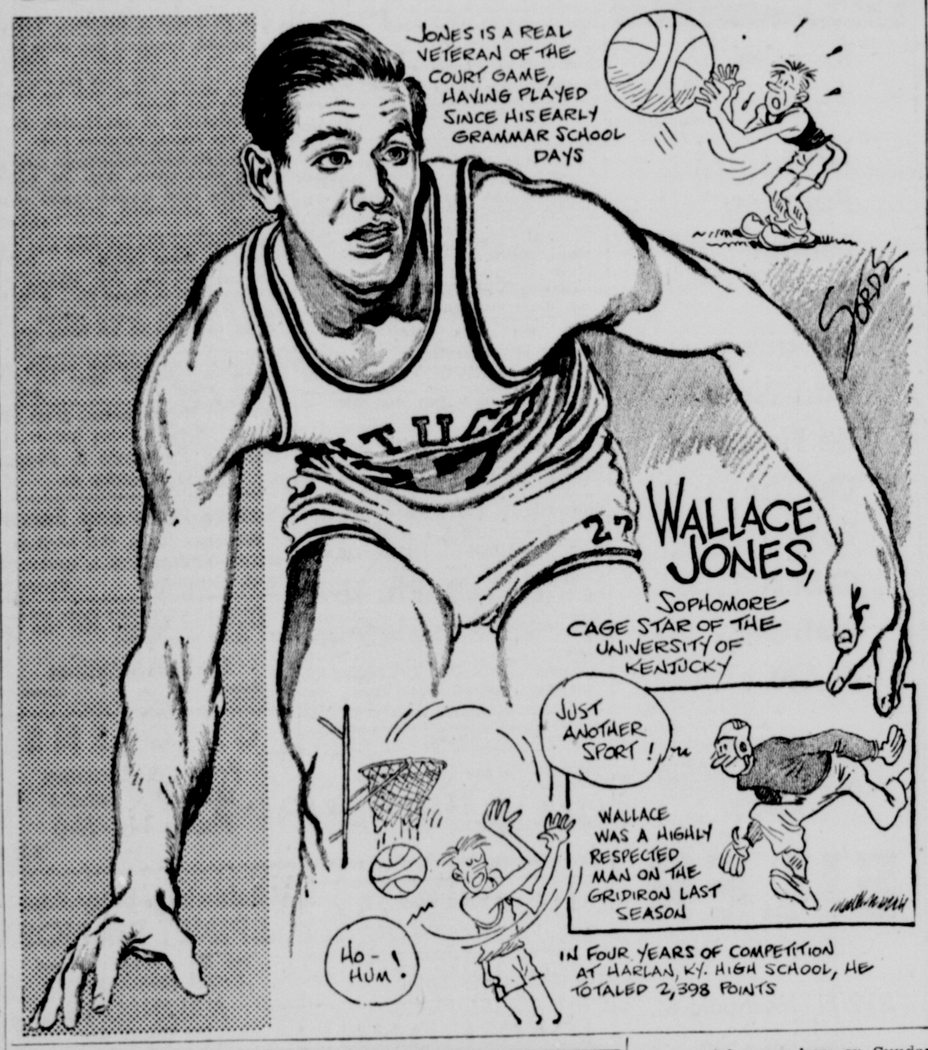
A knee injury kept him inactive for several weeks at the start of the 1936 campaign, his first in the big time. The second year an ankle sprain hobbled him at the start and the following year a heat lamp toasted his skin to such tenderness that he was idle for several weeks.

Only in 1942, his final campaign before joining the army, and last season, his first post-war appearance, was he in the lineup on opening day. In 1942 DiMaggio played every game on the schedule but last year he missed 22 because of injuries and stomach ulcers.

Dr. Stevens said he based his prediction that DiMaggio would be well by April 14 on the fact that the wound had "mended more in the last two days than in previous 15."

He added that he had been cutting away dead tissue from the wound for several days "and that it now is clean and red, which shows that it would be all right to have the second operation performed."

## COURT NATURAL - - - - By Jack Sords




## Billy Fox Is Favorite In Title Bout Friday

### Negro Is 2-3 Choice To Whip Lesnevich

By SID FEDER

SUMMIT, N. J., Feb. 25—(AP)—Cauliflowers have been raised on a lot of ears since a "baby" beak-buster like Billy Fox has come along to challenge for a world championship after only 43 fights, and only a few months after he's old enough to vote.

Aside, possibly, from Joe Louis, none come to mind without a hunt through the record books. And when you add the fact that the gambling guys have set Billy up as a two to five favorite to dethrone light-heavyweight boss Gus Lesnevich in Madison Square Garden Friday—and two to three to put Gus to sleep doing it—you get the idea that the folks think mighty well of his chances.

It took them a long time to catch on, at that. In fact, it was only a comparatively short time ago that even his manager, Blinky Palermo, was trying to chase him out from underfoot when Fox first had the idea he could do something about mashing other fellows' noses.

As a matter of fact, after Fox was flattened in his first four amateur starts, Blinky said he wouldn't take him as a prize in a package of cracker-jacks. Even after Billy belted out his first few opponents, when he started punching for pay back in 1943, Blinky didn't want any part of him on a platter.

But the more Blinky said "no," the more Billy and his trainer, Jimmy Reed came back for more. And in the confusion, there was Blinky with a fighter.

Blinky wakes up in a cold sweat some nights now when he has a nightmare about how close he came to sending Fox away. Because Billy has had 43 fights up to today—and has chalked up 43 knockouts. This is one of the reasons his pals sometimes refer to him as the big can of ether. He puts so many fellows to sleep.

Billy was born in Tatum, Okla., taken to Richmond, Va., at a ripe young age, and finally landed in the City of Brotherly Love where he learned such professions as shoeshine boy, bus boy, and bowling alley pin-boy, before he turned to raising lumps on other guys. He figures that some day he'll grow up to be a heavyweight—but just now has no ambitions in Joe Louis' direction.

"I'm not anxious to fight him—and I don't think anybody else is, either," he confesses.

## Game Is Cancelled Due To Violation Of Fire Safety Rules

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 25 (AP)—A spectacular overflow which violated the North Carolina fire safety regulations caused cancellation of tonight's Southern Conference basketball game scheduled between North Carolina and N. C. State College in Frank Thompson gymnasium.

The gymnasium was ordered closed by W. R. Butts, Raleigh fire chief, when many students crowded aisles and blocked fire exits. All seats were taken in the gymnasium by 6:30, an hour and a half prior to the scheduled starting time of the game.

## Catamounts Play Bluefield, D. & E.

### Home Contests Listed For Thursday, Friday

Coach Dana "Horse" Lough will run his Potomac State Catamounts through their final drill of the week today as the Mountain Lion cagers prepare for two important tilts this week.

Tomorrow night the Hilltoppers will entertain Bluefield College in the Potomac State field house and the following evening the Cats will tangle with the Davis-Elkins Senators. Both games are return affairs, Potomac State winning over both of the teams on their own courts. Potomac State beat Bluefield 49-40 and D-E 66-64.

Indications are that Kenny Sims' injured foot will keep him out of action this week. Bob Lefever has been working in the pivot position and will probably line up in that spot if Sims cannot use his foot by Thursday night. Lough is not certain on who will start in Lefever's place and he has been alternating towering Dallas Ours and Mask Harwood in the forward position. Mike Yewcic will be at the other forward. The guards will be Ed Burns and "Bomber" Montgomery. This lineup will probably hold for Friday night's tussle with the Senators.

Lough stated yesterday that the game with Concord State College scheduled for Tuesday, March 4, has been changed to Wednesday, March 5. The game is being played at Potomac State.

## SPORT SLANTS

**Boxing Dates Are Set** • **Central Is Unprepared** • **"Bud's" Foul Mark .748** • **Pro Cage Set-Up Is Bad**

By C. V. BURNS

Entry blanks for the annual South Atlantic boxing tournament have arrived.

The AAU tourney will be held at the Baltimore Garden, Paca and Fayette streets, Baltimore, March 12 and 19.

**A team will be picked from this tourney to represent the district at the national championship event in Boston April 8, 9 and 10.**

Joseph F. Harris, secretary of the boxing committee of the South Atlantic Association, writes:

"We are anxious to have the best boys in the state to represent us and solicit the participation of boys in Cumberland and vicinity."

Entries must be filed by midnight March 8.

Babe Ruth, who weighed in the neighborhood of 230 pounds when he was taken ill, now goes scarcely 160. When he was visited not long ago by Commissioner "Happy" Chandler the Bambino pointed to his skinny arms and broke into tears.

Note to local high schools seeking better class opponents in football:

**Altoona lists open dates September 19 or 20, October 31 or November 1 and November 7 or 8. The Johnstown High Trojans have an open date November 7 or 8.**

The latter school used to appear on Allegany High's grid schedule.

Central High School's girls' basketball team will not compete in the statewide tourney this season, according to Miss Julia Wetzel, coach of the sextet which has played only two games to date.

**"Central has not played enough games to make a good showing in a tournament," Miss Wetzel declared. "Central will not enter state competition regardless of the outcome of its third game with Bruce which will likely be played in Barton."**

Looks as though Everett, Pa., will not be a member of the Interstate Baseball League after all.

It is understood that Everett's $50 franchise fee, which was supposed to arrive this week, has failed to put in its appearance.

**With Everett out of the picture wonder if the Ridgeley American Legion is still seeking a berth in the circuit?**

Westmont High School captured the championship of the Tri-County League the other night by defeating Ferndale High's Yellow Jackets, 50-24. It was Westmont's ninth win against a single loss in the circuit which includes Johnstown High, Indiana, Windber and Ebensburg, Pa.

**Westmont has won 13 out of 14 games this season, the only loss coming at the hands of Johnstown's Trojans.**

Coach Carl Engh's team defeated Allegany here on January 11 by the score of 48-31 and won in Bedford on February 4 to the tune of 47-30. Bedford's at Westmont, March 3, and Allegany closes its regular season there March 7.

"Bud" Fisher, scoring ace of Bedford High School's Bisons, has performed brilliantly at the foul line this season. He has sent the ball spinning through the iron ring 101 times in 135 tries for an average of .748. In other words Fisher has connected from the 15-foot mark three times in every four tries.

"Bud" has reeled off a total of 351 points, including 125 field goals, in 19 games, an average of 18.5 points per game.

**One of the writers covering the Washington Senators advertised for a furnished home in Orlando, Fla. He received a telephone call from a woman who was willing to rent . . . for $750 a month.**

Many fans who have witnessed the Amvets' games here on Sunday night are of the opinion that the contests would be less one-sided if the road teams did not play in Hagerstown Sunday afternoon before making the trip over the mountains for the nocturnal tilt here.

**Most of the teams taking part in this arrangement have faded out quickly and the result is that the Amvets run wild and score almost at will against the visitors.**

It's a bad set-up and Cumberland fans are not seeing visiting teams at their best.

## Puerto Rico All-Stars Defeat Yankees, 7-6

SAN JUAN, P. R., Feb. 25 (AP)—The New York Yankees dropped their second straight game to a Puerto Rican team, bowing 7-6 to the Puerto Rico All-Stars in 12 innings today.

The Yanks used five hurlers in a vain attempt to halt the island nine with Canena Marquezs' single off Vince Di Biasi in the third overtime frame breaking up the game.

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Wensloff, Raschi (4), Queen (7), Ardizoia (8), Di Biasi (12) and Robinson, Lollar (4), Houk; Ortiz, Guilbe (2), Figueroa (5) and Tirado, Villodas (5).

## Muhlenberg, Albright To Play In Series

LANCASTER, Pa., Feb. 25 (AP)—Muhlenberg and Albright, divisional champions in the Middle Atlantic States Collegiate Athletic Basketball Conference, were paired today for the loop's title playoff series starting March 14.

The Mules, winners of the northern division crown, and Albright of the western section will play as part of a doubleheader that features La-Salle College (Philadelphia) against the Southern Division winner — either Swarthmore or Drexel Tech. The games will be played at the University of Delaware, Newark, Del.

The winners of March 14 games will clash for the conference title won by Lafayette last year. The losers will meet in a consolation contest.

A Quonset hut will house a state game bird hatchery in Iowa.

## CLUB HOUSE PATRONS WILL BE STAMPED

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 25—(AP)—Clubhouse patrons at Gulfstream Park race course this year will be stamped with "invisible ink" that shows up under infra-ray lamp instead of being issued "pass out checks" to go to and from the clubhouse.

When the patron enters the clubhouse gate, a girl will stamp the customer's hand with a specially designed "invisible ink." When leaving, the hand is passed under an infra-ray lamp and the design becomes visible.

Track officials said the ink would not come off on any fabric and disappears entirely in six hours. Different colors and designs will be used daily.

## Joe Louis Arrives

CALI, Colombia, Feb. 25—(AP)—Joe Louis, world heavyweight boxing champion, arrived last night en route to Medellin, Colombia, where he is scheduled for an exhibition today. Sunday he will show his wares in the nation's capital, Bogota.

## VOIGHTS IS NAMED FOOTBALL COACH AT NORTHWESTERN

CHICAGO, Feb. 25 (AP) — Robert W. Voigts, 31, line coach of the Cleveland Browns of the All-America Conference was named head football coach of Northwestern University tonight by the university board of trustees to succeer Lynn (Pappy) Waldorf who resigned.

Voigts returned to his alma mater, where he starred as a tackle in 1936, 37, and 38, with a three year contract. He is the first alumnus football mentor since 1913 when basketball coach Dennis Grady served one year as grid coach.

Waldorf resigned ten days ago to take the head football coaching position at the University of California.

No salary terms were announced but Voigts had demanded earlier "that the price be right and that I can name my own assistants," Waldorf was said to be getting around $10,000 when he resigned and the Browns were believed to be paying Voigts the same figure.

## Mountaineers Battle Presidents Tonight

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Feb. 25.—(AP)—West Virginia University's basketball powersouse, assured of a spot in the national invitation tournament, meets Washington and Jefferson here tomorrow night in the first of three home games that will complete its regular season schedule.

The Mountaineers spilled the Presidents 90 to 40 in an earlier engagement at Washington, Pa.

Following the W. and J. game, the Mountaineers tangle with Pitt Saturday night and Carnegie Tech on March 8. Both of those squads also have gone down before the fast-breaking West Virginians once this season.

The Mountaineers will be shooting for their 28th straight victory on their home court against W. and J., and their 16th in 17 games this season. They have been beaten only by Navy, 57 to 55.

## Coach Rupp Predicts Better Tournament

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 25 (AP) — Coach Adolph Rupp said today he was "delighted" that Kentucky was making another trip to the National Invitational Basketball Tournament in New York to defend the championship it won last year.

"I only hope we do as well as we did last year," he said.

Rupp, on that score, however, said he expected to run into a great deal stronger lineup of opponents.

"College basketball is better all over the country," he stated. "This year's tournament is sure to be a whole lot better than last year's."

## Red Embree Signs

TUCSON, Ariz., Feb. 25 (AP)—Charles (Red) Embree, righthanded pitcher, ended his holdout siege today by agreeing to accept terms offered by President Bill Veeck of the Cleveland Indians. The terms were not announced. Signing of Embree leaves only pitchers Bryan Stephens and Joe Berry on the Tribe holdout list.


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# RADIO IN REVIEW

By JOHN CROSBY

## INNOCENTS IN HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 25 — There is more horse trading in this town than in "David Harum." It started in a mild way before the war, but didn't really flourish until equipment of all sorts got very short during and after the war. Then radio actors and guest stars from the movies suddenly acquired a passionate interest in the sponsor's product and almost a distaste for his money.

Clark Gable

On the Dinah Shore show, sponsored by Ford, the guest stars are offered the choice of automobiles or money. The type of automobile they get is determined by their status in the radio or movie world, the actor thereafter is almost immbediately branded as a Ford man or a Mercury man or a Lincoln Continental man. There are very few stars of the Lincoln Continental magnitude. As a matter of fact, some of the finest acting in Hollywood takes place when a screen actor, who is convinced that he is about to be offered a Lincoln Continental, is offered instead a Ford. The sight of an actor trying to smile through his rage and frustration, they say, is worth the trip to Hollywood.

Clark Gable was the first and virtually the only man to get a Continental. A few weeks later Jimmy Durante was invited to be guest of the program and was asked whether he preferred a Lincoln Mercury of a Ford. "Mercury or Ford," exploded Jimmy, who has virtually no inhibitions, "I am insulted. Clark Gable got a Continental and I want a Continentti." He got it, too.

Automobiles aren't the only things that are scarce thesee days. Brian Aherne, who has a large ranch, was far more interested in Ford's farm products than its cars. After a guest shot on the Dinah Shore show he wound up with a tractor, a stump puller and a dozen other farm gadgets.

Jim and Marian Jordan (Fibber McGee and Molly) were—and still are—struggling to get a house completed out in the San Fernado Valley. The shortage of electrical equipment stymied them for months. Then a General Electric salesman blew into town looking for a husband-and-wife team to demonstrate their eccentric blanket in a movie short. The Jordans spurned G. E.'s cash, of which they have plenty, but agreed to horse trade their talents for equipment. G. E. got their movie short and the Jordans got a kitchen completely equipped with G. E. gadgets.

Bob Burns made a full-length movie for Deere, the farm-equipment people, and got, among other things, two of the finest mules in the country.

Some of this horse trading reached alarming proportions. Gruen and Bulova, for instance, presented watches to any one who mentioned their names over the radio. Pretty soon the air was blue with Bulova and Gruen jokes and all, the radio actors had either one or the other, usually both types of watches. N. B. C. finally called a halt to this free advertising. Years ago an automobile company tried the same practice This time it was the company, not the network, that called it quits.

They were giving away so many automobiles that the company would have gone broke if it had gone much longer. However, these Studebaker jokes are just jokes. You don't get anything for a Studebaker joke, usually not even a laugh.

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## MORTGAGEE'S SALE
of
Personal Property

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in the Chattel Mortgage from Jacob E. Pryor and Shirley M. Pryor, his wife, to the Industrial Loan Society, Incorporated, a corporation, dated November 9, 1946, default having occurred in the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, the said mortgagee will sell at public auction

**On Monday, March 10, 1947**
**at 10:30 O'clock P. M.**

at the Bennett Storage and Warehouse Building, Franklin Street, Cumberland, Maryland, to the highest bidder, the following articles of personal property:

1 White En Kitchen Cabinet
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# Whiteman's Band To Change Format On Tonight's Show

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—The Paul Whiteman band, weekly series on ABC, is changing its format with Wednesday night's program at 9 to become a program in cooperation with the National Guard, under a plan to show the part the guard plays in national defense. The first program in the series will come from Washington, with Sec. of War Patterson as guest speaker.

Frank Sinatra, fortified by a three weeks vacation absence during which guests took care of his assignment, is due back on CBS at 9.

While it is a little bit early, a program here and there is disappearing from the network schedules. One of these to conclude its run on CBS at 10 is Hollywood Players, a movie style drama series that has been on the air only since last fall. The goodbye will be said with Paulette Goddard in "Vivacious Lady."

Author Meets the Critics will have Admiral E. M. Zacharias and his book, "Secret Missions," up for consideration via MBS at 10. . . Bing Crosby's recordings for ABC at 10 will include not only the Andrews Sisters, but the veteran Joe Frisco.

Ozzie and Harriet, the Sunday night broadcasters, will drop round for some guesting with the Dinah Shore show on CBS at 9:30. They'll help out in a comedy sketch.

A guest conductor is to be on hand for Invitation to Music, the 11:30 concert on CBS. He is Georges Enesco, Rumanian composer and violinist.

## The Radio Clock

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

*Changes in programs as listed are due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.*

All times PM eastern standard. To change to central standard subtract one hour; to mountain standard subtract two hours.

Times listed are those supplied by networks. Relay times by local stations, may vary in some instances.

5:45—Front Page Farrell, Serial—nbc
Treasury Bandstand Continued—cbs
Tennessee Jed (Repeat at 6:45)—abc
Dick Tracy with Repeat—abc-west
Tom Mix (Repeated at 6:45)—mbs
Buck Rogers with Repeat—mbs-west
6:00—News Report for 15 Mins.—nbc
Eric Sevareid & News Period—cbs
No Network Shows (1 Hr.)—abc-east
Terry Serial in a Repeat—abc-west
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—mbs-west
6:15—America Serenade; Sports—nbc
Word from the Country, Talk—cbs
The Sky King in Repeat—abc-west
Repeat of the Superman—mbs-west
6:30—Red Barber & Sports Time—cbs
Jack Armstrong in Repeat—abc-west
Capt. Midnight in Repeat—mbs-west
6:45—Lowell Thomas & Newscast—nbc
World News and Commentary—cbs
7:00—Radio's Supper Club—nbc-basic
Mystery Drama for the Week—cbs
News Commentary & Overseas—abc
Fulton Lewis, Jr., in Comment—mbs
7:15—News & Comment of World—nbc
Jack Smith and Series for Song—cbs
Elmer Davis and Commentary—abc
Dancing Music 15 Mins.—mbs-basic
7:30—Songs from Carolyn Gilbert—nbc
Ellery Queen Detects as Usual—cbs
Lone Ranger's Drama of West—abc
Cecil Brown in Comment—mbs-basic
7:45—Kaltenborn and Comment—nbc
Bill Brandt in Sports Comment—mbs
8:00—Dennis Day and His Day—nbc
Jack Carson and Comedy Show—cbs
Lum and Abner Comedy Skit—abc
Crime Book Mystery, a Drama—mbs
8:15—Skip Farrell Music Show—abc
8:30—Great Gildersleeve, Comedy—nbc
Jean Hersholt as Dr. Christian—cbs
Willie Piper, a Family Comedy—abc
It's Up to Youth, Teenagers—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
9:00—Duffy's Tavern, Ed Gardner—nbc
The Sinatra Song and Variety—cbs
Paul Whiteman & His Music—abc
Gabriel Heatter and Comment—mbs
9:15—Real Life Drama Series—mbs
9:30—District Attorney's Drama—nbc
Dinah Shore Show with Variety—cbs
Pot O' Gold Telephone Stunt—abc
What's Name of Song Quiz—mbs
10:00—The Frank Morgan Comedy—nbc
Hollywood Players With Drama—cbs
Bing Crosby's Recorded Show—abc
Did Justice Triumph, Dramatic—mbs
10:30—Kay Kyser Music & Quiz—nbc
Information Please with a Quiz—cbs
Henry Morgan Doing His Stuff—abc
The Author Meets the Critics—mbs
11:00—News for 15 Minutes—nbc-basic
The Supper Club Repeat—other nbc
News, Variety, Dancing 2 hrs.—cbs
News and Dance Band Hour—abc
News, Dance Band Show, 2 h.—mbs
11:15—Variety & News to 1 a.m.—nbc
12:00—Dance Band Hr.—abc-west only

## WTBO Highlights

7:00 Yawn Patrol.
7:30 News.
7:45 Reveille Round-Up (NBC).
8:00 World News Round-Up (NBC).
8:15 Morning Melodies.
8:45 News.
9:00 Honeymoon in New York (NBC).
9:30 Morning Meditations.
9:45 Tropical Tempos (NBC).
10:00 Music for Wednesday.
10:30 Road of Life (NBC).
10:45 Joyce Jordan, M. D. (NBC).
11:00 Fred Waring Show (NBC).
11:30 Jack Berch Show (NBC).
11:45 Music at Mid-Day.
12:15 Mid-Day News.
12:45 Words and Music (NBC).
1:00 Sketches In Melody (NBC).
1:45 Robert McCormick (NBC).
2:00 Today's Children (NBC).
2:15 Woman in White (NBC).
2:27 Masquerade (NBC).
2:40 Betty Crocker (NBC).
2:55 News.
3:00 Life Can Be Beautiful (NBC).
3:15 Ma Perkins (NBC).
3:30 Pepper Young's Family (NBC).
3:45 Right to Happiness (NBC).
4:00 Backstage Wife (NBC).
4:15 Stella Dallas (NBC).
4:30 Lorenzo Jones (NBC).
4:45 Young Widder Brown (NBC).
5:00 Moods in Music.
5:25 Tune Teasers.
5:30 News.
5:45 Melody Moments.
6:00 News (NBC).
6:15 Serenade to America (NBC).
6:30 The Sportsman's Corner.
6:45 The Constant Invader.
7:00 The Supper Club (NBC).
7:15 News of the World (NBC).
7:30 The Hour of St. Francis.
7:45 Conservation Program.
8:00 A Day In The Life Of Dennis Day (NBC).
8:30 The Great Gildersleeve (NBC).
9:00 Duffy's Tavern (NBC).
9:30 Mr. District Attorney (NBC).
10:00 The Fabulous Dr. Tweedy (NBC).
10:30 Kay Kyser's College of Musical Knowledge (NBC).
11:00 News from NBC (NBC).
11:15 Harkness of Washington (NBC).
11:30 Commodore Hotel Orchestra (NBC).
12:00 News (NBC).

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# No Arrests Reported In Drive On Slot Machines

## Authorities Ordered To Confiscate Devices

More than 24 hours after receiving instructions to "bring in" all the slot machines in the county, law enforcement officers last night had failed to confiscate a single machine or make an arrest, a survey made by The News disclosed.

Authorities, who asked not to be quoted, said they were summoned to the office of the state's attorney Monday afternoon and were told to gather up slot machines "by the truckload," take them to the county jail yard and break them up with sledge hammers.

The News received this information on Monday less than half an hour after the meeting was held, but withheld publication of the story yesterday morning in order to give authorities ample time to make their raids without being hampered by premature publicity.

**Machines Removed**

On the other hand, there was action in slot machine circles after word that the "heat's on" apparently spread fast with many machines being removed for safekeeping.

It even appeared that "word" had "gotten around" prior to the meetin because some machines, especially the new "flat top" automatic machines, were removed from public view on Saturday.

A check last night disclosed that all clubs were not in accord with removal of slot machines, however, because some were in play last night. Other clubs had removed theirs.

The sheriff's office reported last night it had sent men to "four or five" establishments on McMullen Highway yesterday but that no slot machines were found.

Officers in other county towns said that so far as they knew no effort was being made to confiscate any machines or make any arrests. In any event, no arrests were docketed or reported by police at Lonaconing, Frostburg, Westernport or Cumberland.

Soon after the meeting in the state's attorney's office Monday, Acting Chief of Police B. F. Gaffney obtained 25 warrants from Magistrate Frank A. Perdew, but authorities said the warrants were merely renewals of "John Doe" warrants obtained monthly for use in inspection of establishments that hold alcoholic beverage licenses.

**Time Not Set**

One official who attended the meeting said the time the raids were to be made "was left up to us," but he added that "it looks like they mean it this time."

He said that according to instructions, the sheriff's office would "take care" of raids outside of incorporated towns but that police were to make the arrests within corporation limits.

While some machines remained in play last night, one officer said that from information he received yesterday slot machines were so scarce "you couldn't play a nickel machine with 50 cents."

# Heavy Equipment Needed For Snow Work, Light Says

## Four-Wheel Drive Truck Suggested

Stating that present Street Department equipment is inadequate to combat deep snow and drifts, Street Commissioner Myers G. Light said yesterday he will ask the Mayor and Council at a meeting Friday morning to approve purchase of a powerful four-wheel drive truck for the department.

Light explained that the seven dump truck with which the department is equipped have two-wheel drive, explaining that when plows are attached to these trucks, they lack sufficient power to buck heavy snowdrifts.

The commissioner said that work of clearing city streets after the heavy snowfall late last week was completed last Monday, adding that if a more powerful truck had been used in plowing work, the job could have been completed by Saturday.

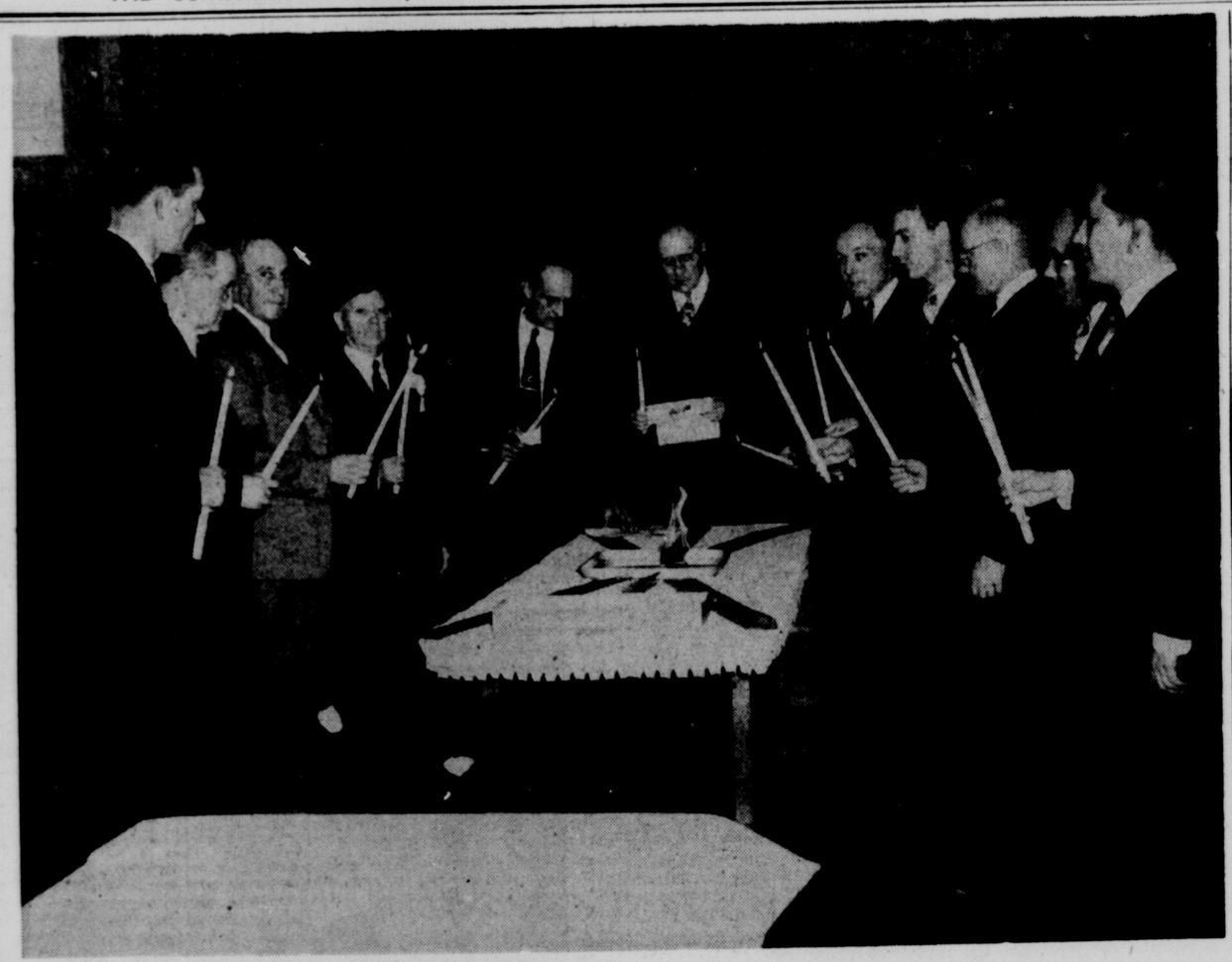
He said it took an hour and a half for one of the trucks to get up Broadway, and that the truck had to back up because it lacked sufficient power to make the grade otherwise. Another truck was thrown out of commission temporarily in plowing work because it was too light for the work.

The commissioner said the dump trucks are intended for hauling dirt and cinders, stating they can take care of clearing snow which is only four or five inches deep, but not a heavy fall of 14 inches as in the recent snowstorm.

At a rough estimate, a new four-wheel drive truck would cost about $4,000, but Light said the equipment is needed no matter what the cost. The Street Department, in addition to the seven dump trucks, had a grader and two light pickup trucks.

The commissioner said Street Department crews worked overtime from Thursday until Saturday, adding that although city streets are all open for traffic now, some crews were out yesterday shoveling snow away from catch basins.

In the midst of a deluge of telephone calls to City Hall and his home from residents asking that snow be removed from their streets, Light said one man complained bitterly when Central Avenue was cleared of snow because "the children couldn't go sled riding."



**FIREMEN BURN MORTGAGE**—Members of the LaVale Volunteer Fire Company witnessed the burning of the mortgage on their fire hall last night at the 14th annual banquet of the association. The mortgage on the property was liquidated during the war, but the ceremony was delayed until all members returned from the armed services. In the center of the picture, reading the names of the officers is Rev. Charles E. Shaw, serving as chaplain, and on his right is Alvin G. Youngblood, president. Other officers in the picture include Elmer C. Lancaster, vice president; Cromwell C. Zembower, recording secretary; Raymond Logsdon, financial secretary; Walter Alexander, treasurer; James W. Beacham, William W. Wiegand and J. W. Ritchie, trustees; Elmer T. Beachley, fire chief; Henry Wintermeyer, assistant chief and Edward Dressman, sergeant at arms.

# LaVale Firemen Burn Morigage At Annual Dinner

## Pay Tribute To Deceased Members

A memorial service as a tribute to departed members and burning of a mortgage of the fire house, featured the 14th annual banquet of LaVale Volunteer Firemen last night in the fire hall at LaVale.

Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., local trial magistrate, served as toastmaster and with appropriate wit and humor introduced the guests and told numerous stories on firemen and others present.

Guest speaker was W. Earle Cobey, local attorney, who served as a lieutenant commander in the United States Navy during the war. Cobey gave an interesting account of the "Ferdinands," popular name of coast watchers in the Southwest Pacific Islands, who served with the Australians and Americans, furnishing information by short wave radio, about the movement of the Jap fleet, troops and Air Force. He likened the vigil of these civilian coast watchers to that of firemen who are constantly on the watch and alert to protect their communities.

**Memorial Service Held**

Judge Bruce presented County Commissioners Charles N. Wilkinson, Jr., William H. Lemmert and James Holmes, William C. Wilson, president of the State Firemen's Association; Rev. Charles E. Shaw, Sgt. W. E. O'Hara, of the state police, and Oscar Parrish as guests of honor. He also presented Leo Imes, the last of 21 veteran members to return home.

At the memorial service, during which the sergeant-at-arms, Edward Dressman, extinguished a candle as each name was read by the chaplain, Rev. Charles E. Shaw, the following deceased members were honored: G. W. Lancaster, Russell Proud, D. P. Miller, J. E. Lafferty, Earl Lewis, Ruchlin J. Ritchie, J. George Smith and Elmer Fishell.

In eulogizing the deceased members, Rev. Mr. Shaw said, "Blessed are the dead, who die in the Lord, for they rest from their labors and their good works do follow them."

Four life memberships were presented by Judge Bruce in behalf of the fire company to Alvin G. Youngblood, John W. Ritchie, William H. Wiegand and Phillip Miller.

**Mortgage Is Burned**

At the mortgage burning service, each officer of the organization was given a large candle and each assisted in setting fire to the mortgage. The ashes were sealed and will be preserved among the possessions of the company.

Officers who participated in the mortgage burning included, Alvin G. Youngblood, president; Elmer C. Lancaster, vice-president; Cromwell Zembower, recording secretary; Raymond J. Logsdon, financial secretary; Walter Alexander, treasurer; James W. Beacham, William W. Wiegand and J. W. Ritchie, trustees; Elmer T. Beachley, chief; Henry Wintermeyer, assistant chief and Edward Dressman, sergeant-at-arms.

The ceremonies and addresses were preceded by a banquet prepared and served by members of the Ladies Auxiliary and after the program Oscar Parrish, LaVale magician entertained with a program of magic.

# Veteran Of 1907-12 World Cruise Turned Down For Naval Reserve

## Age Counts Against Union Grove Man

A Union Grove man who sailed on "Teddy Roosevelt's cruise around the world" from 1907 to 1912 tried unsuccessfully yesterday to enter the inactive Naval Reserve, but his age was against him.

Benjamin W. DeMoss, 63, a small, brisk, gray-haired man, offered his services as an instructor for the Cumberland Organized Naval Reserve Division, but Lt. Comdr. Walter N. Hedrick, organizing officer, had to turn him down because the age limit for veterans of military service prior to World War II is 40 years.

DeMoss said he enlisted as an apprentice seaman at New London, Conn., in January, 1907, sailing soon after from San Francisco aboard the battleship Ohio on the first leg of a world cruise authorized by President Theodore Roosevelt as part of his crusade for a strong Navy .

For the next five years, the Union Grove man visited numerous world ports in Hawaii, Australia, New Zealand, the Philippines, and China. He was discharged at Bremerton, Washington, in 1912 with the rate of electrician's mate third class, and later served 11 months in World War I as a "train rider," escorting Navy recruits to their destinations.

DeMoss said he served in a civilian status for three years as a Navy guard at the Baltimore drydock during World War II, mounting guard during the conversion of the passenger liner President Madison into the hospital ship Refuge.

When the question of age and physical requirements for the reserve came up, Comdr. Hedrick asked DeMoss whether his teeth were his own. Clicking them briskly, DeMoss said "Certainly they're my own, I paid for them!"

# Local Groups Are Urged To Support Smoke Ordinance

Terming the proposed new smoke control ordinance a "constructive move" toward the abatement of smoke in Cumberland, James Alfred Avirett, local attorney, told members of the Exchange Club at a dinner meeting last night at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club that local organizations should support the measure.

The ordinance, prepared recently by City Attorney Charles Z. Heskett and now being studied by city officials, provides for the appointment of a smoke abatement engineer and several assistants, who would inspect fuel burning installations and see that smoke regulations were observed. An advisory and appeal board is also provided for.

Stating that railroads, Potomas Edison Company river plant, smaller industries, institutions and private homes are the main producers of smoke in Cumberland, Avirett said the problem affects every citizen, stating that concerted effort will "clean up" the city.

In an open discussion following his talk, Avirett pointed out that regulations provided in the ordinance would be beneficial to small industries, since more efficient operation would result from the need to get the most out of fuel consumption with the least smoke waste; and because the advice and experience of a trained smoke abatement engineer would be available to small industries, which could not otherwise afford to retain an expert in such matters.

As regards the railroads and the Potomac Edison plant, Avirett said all three have demonstrated that smoke can be diminished through proper precautions and equipment.

The speaker was introduced by George Tederick.

# Board Is Told New Election Books Needed

## Routine Problems Before Commissioners

County commissioners were asked yesterday to give some consideration in the new budget to the cost of transcribing county election books and records, since the present books are filled.

Patrick F. King, clerk and Edward J. Ryan, attorney to the Board of Election Supervisors appeared before the Board at their regular meeting and made the request. They explained that the books were transcribed in 1928, with eight persons employed for three months at $7 per day, or a total of $4,200. New books cost $3,000 and reregistration costs about $2,100.

The Board decided to consider the matter and act upon it at the regular meeting Friday.

Arthur G. Ramey, supervisor of student personnel in public schools, informed the Commissioners that school attendance in rural areas is below normal due to numerous rural roads being blocked by the snow.

Members of the Board explained to Ramey that Engineer Albert S. Paye and his road crews have been working night and day clearing the drifts, and that additional men have been employed. Everything possible is being done and available equipment is being used to fullest capacity, officials said.

Conditions were described as "bad generally," but worse in mountain sections, including Stony Run, Dan's Mountain, Hazen Road, Bald Knob, Huffman, Warrior Mountain roads and the road leading to the Midland School.

Stanley G. Clayton, Sr., Elintstone, submitted an offer to purchase the abandoned small school on Tunnel Hill, in the Green Ridge section. The request was referred to the engineer.

The Allegany Land Company asked an abatement of a $200 assessment on a house in District No. 20 which has burned down.

Anita Porter, 15 Oak Street, also asked a reduction of $500 on her 1947 assessment, since the place was burned last July.

J. Milton Dick and William J. Chappell pesented a request that the Flat Rock bridge and crossing be re-opened. They asked that an act of the Legislature be approved by the board for such action. Dick pointed out that homes in that area were endangered because fire trucks are now unable to use the crossing or bridge.

Commissioner Charles N. Wilkinson, Jr., suggested that a conference be arranged with William Claus, general manager of the Cumberland Pennsylvania Railroad, to discuss the proposed reopening of the crossing.

**Legion Asks Exemption**

Gorman E. Getty, representing James P. Love Post, No. 52, American Legion, Lonaconing, asked an exemption of taxes on part of the Legion property there, but decision was deferred.

Getty said the total assessment was $6,800 and asked that the exemption cover $5,000, the assessed value of the post headquarters. No exemption was asked for garages and apartments owned by the Legion and which are rented.

Lewis M. Wilson, attorney to the board, was absent, due to illness and no action was taken on a report last week that a number of clubs and similar organizations should not have tax exemptions. For many years the board has granted exemptions on property owned by churches, fraternal and veterans' organizations.

Harold W. Smith, secretary of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce, sent the board a copy of a letter to Horace P. Whitworth, Jr., chairman of the county delegation in the House of Delegates, pertaining to proposed bills for rescinding exemption of taxes on tools and machinery granted industries in the county.

Smith said the chamber had taken no stand in the matter, but cited that members believe existing contracts between the commissioners and various companies should not be changed, and that exemptions given them in past year and still in effect should be upheld.

# Heart Attack Is Fatal To Former Local Resident

F. Gould Screen, 40, son of the late John and Elizabeth Screen, died suddenly yesterday morning in Gibsonville, N. C., of a heart attack, according to word received here by his sisters, Miss Ruth G. Screen, 229 Pear street and Mrs. Grant A. Wiebel, 423 Franklin Street.

Mr. Screen was born in Lonaconing but lived in Cumberland for many years before leaving here 14 years ago for Burlington, N. C. He was connected with the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company for several years before going to North Carolina where he entered business. He operated the Tire Sales Company at Burlington.

He was a member of Centre Street Methodist Church, Fort Cumberland Lodge No. 211, A. F. & A. M., Burlington Country Club and the Kiwanis Club.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Robbie Tenney Screen; three sisters, Mrs. David I. Mateer, 630 Shriver Avenue, who is now in Florida; Miss Screen and Mrs. Wiebel.

Funeral services will be held in Burlington Friday with interment in Pine Hill Cemetery there.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wiebel and Miss Screen will leave here this morning for Burlington to attend the funeral.

# Most Roads Open Late Last Night

State and county road crews were successful yesterday in opening most snow-drifted roads, it was reported last night, and temperatures rose somewhat yesterday afternoon, and some snow melted where it was hit by the direct rays of the sun.

However officials reported that some country or secondary roads are open only to one-way traffic and drifts encountered were as deep as 12 feet in places.

Temperatures in the area were a little higher than in the past few nights, with mercury at Cumberland at 30 above zero at midnight. At Thomas, W. Va., and Deal, Pa., mercury stood at 18 above. There were snow flurries at both Deal and Thomas and about two feet of snow remained at both places.

In the LaVale section and other areas west of Cumberland last night heavy snowfall was reported, and there was heavy snowfall during the day in the Georges Creek Region, although not enough to hamper traffic.

Buses and trains continued to move on time and main highways were all reported clear of snow and ice by bus companies and State Police.

Unless there is much more snowfall and considerable wind, highway officials believe roads can be kept clear and open. County road crews will continue working in some outlying sections today, it was indicated.

# Plans Completed For Radio Forum

Final plans for the opening broadcast of the forum series, "Wake Up, Cumberland," which will be presented this coming Sunday afternoon from 4:30 to 5, were discussed at a meeting last night at Station WTBO of the committee sponsoring service and women's civic clubs.

Mrs. John A. Cupler, II, representing the Cumberland branch, American Association of University Women, who is permanent chairman of the committee, said the title of the first broadcast is "What Is the Forum — 'Wake Up, Cumberland'?" The half-hour program will consist of a panel discussion on the policies and purposes of the series, which is planned to provide roundtable discussions on matters of interest to Cumberland and Allegany County.

Those who will take part with Mrs. Cupler in the WTBO broadcast will be Robert Little Ebert, representing the Rotary Club; George H. Tederick of the Exchange Club; and James W. Bishop of the Kiwanis Club.

Programs on succeeding Sunday afternoons at the same time are planned, and subjects to be discussed include a consumer sales tax, taxation of gambling devices, a liquor control board for Allegany County, home rule, and the need for a county detention home.

Other sponsoring organizations include the Business and Professional Women's Club; the Woman's Civic Club, the Optimist Club and the Lions Club.

# Red Cross Labor Section To Meet

Urging the participation of 14,000 union members in Allegany County in the 1947 Red Cross fund campaign here March 1-10, John F. Chisholm, chairman of the labor division for the drive, announced yesterday that unions will be asked to send representatives to a meeting at Rubber Workers' Hall, 12 South Mechanic Street, on Friday at 8 p. m.

Chisholm, who is treasurer of Local 26, United Rubber, Cork, Linoleum and Plastic Workers of America, said in a form letter sent to county union organizations that the meeting has been called to organize labor's forces for raising $3,000, the quota labor organizations have been asked to raise in the campaign, which opens Saturday.

The annual drive in Allegany County this year seeks to raise $29,560, of which 50.7 per cent, or $15,000, would be retained by the local chapter to carry on its program with 75 per cent of this total earmarked for veterans' needs and for county men serving overseas. The other 49.3 per cent, or $14,560, is to be sent to the national chapter to aid in conducting the comprehensive national program.

A majority of the key union leaders in the nation, as well as the country's leading military men, have endorsed the Red Cross organization and its campaign.

# Home Building Is Increasing Here

The eight building permits granted for new homes during the past month represent the largest number issued at the city engineer's office in one month since April, 1946, when 12 such permits were issued, according to a report released yesterday.

Total number of building permits issued was 23 for estimated construction amounting to $43,700, as compared to last month's total of 14 permits for buildings estimated to cost $41,200.

Of the 23 permits, 16 were for new construction, including the eight permits for new homes, and the remaining seven were for additions or improvements. Estimated new construction totalled $37,350, while additions amounted to $6,350.

Six applications for occupancy permits were made at the office. Three were granted outright, and the remainder, appealed to the Board of Zoning Appeals, were granted after hearings.

George F. Weltman, Jr., 6 Roberts Street, has secured a building permit to construct a five-room residence on Lots 440-441 on Mary Street, at an estimated cost of $4,000.

The one and one-half story structure will measure 31 by 23 feet, with a stone and concrete foundation, walls of stone veneer over sheeting, and an asphalt shingle roof. Work will be done by the owner.

# Preliminary Water Line Work Started

City Engineer Ralph L. Rizer has started work on specifications for the proposed auxiliary water line from Lake Gordon to Cumberland, and Mayor Thomas S. Post said yesterday that "We hope to start the new line this summer if it doesn't cost over a million dollars."

C. J. Bruce, superintendent of the Evitss Creek Water Company, said in his opinion the line can be built for a million dollars provided there is no great increase in the cost of materials. Necessary rights of way have already been secured.

The city now has approximately $900,000 for the proposed project, $750,000 of the amount being bonds authorized by the Legislature which have never been issued and the remainder an estimated $150,000 in a postwar fund which can be used for the new line.

Rizer said today the specifications will call for 36 inch steel, cylindrical, reinforced concrete pressure pipe, and that the job will require 41,300 feet of pipe to reach from Lake Gordon to the city, connecting with water mains which have already been laid at the corner of Decatur and Davidson Streets.

The new line would furnish Cumberland with an additional 12 million gallons of water per day with pressures comparable to that of the present line at various points. The pressure on Baltimore Street would be 125 pounds. This would mean that the new line would furnish the city with the same amount of water as the present line.

Rizer said that the task of laying the new line will require between 10 and 12 months. This means it would not be completed until some time next year even if started this summer, as city officials hope.

# Brothers Held After Pedestrian Is Hit

Two Corriganville brothers were held in City Jail last night for trial in Police Court today on disorderly conduct charges, and police said the pair assaulted a pedestrian they struck in their automobile.

Booked as Henry Getson and Earl W. Getson, the duo, with Henry allegedly driving, struck Ray Nixon, 118 Polk street, as he crossed Centre street at Bedford, at 6:30 p. m., police reported.

They said Nixon was knocked to the street and that when he got up the brothers asked him what he intended to do about it. Replying, Nixon said he was going to report it, whereupon the brothers attacked him, police reported.

# Preaching Mission Will Open Today

A preaching mission will open at the First Church of the Nazarene, Oldtown Road, today and continue through Sunday March 2, Rev. C. Neal Hutchinson, minister, announced yesterday.

Rev. O. L. Benedum, East Liverpool, Ohio, district superintendent of Akron District of the Church of the Nazarene will speak each night. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Benedum, who will sing solos during the mission.

# Fire Damages Taxi

Central Company No. 1 was called at 1:05 a. m. yesterday to the corner of Canal and Baltimore Streets when a taxicab owned by Johnny's Cabs caught fire. The blaze, caused by a back-fire in the engine, caused considerable damage.

# PE Bus Strike Appears Likely Here Saturday

## Contract Negotiations Reach Standstill

A strike on Saturday of Potomac Edison Company bus drivers loomed last night as officials of Local Division 1110, Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employes of America, AFL, reported negotiations for a new contract had reached a standstill, with their demands not met.

John M. Elliott, international representative of the union, said three meeting with the company have been held but added, "We're still far apart on our principal demands."

These demands include a wage increase of 23 cents an hour, improvement in vacation provisions and supplying of a uniform now bought by drivers, by the company.

The last of three meetings with the company was held yesterday and Elliott said the company refused to better its proposals made at a meeting January 28 which were rejected by the union.

**Company Offers 8 Cents**

The company, he said, has offered an eight cents an hour pay increase, very little change in the present vacation setup and refused to supply one uniform for drivers.

No further meetings between the union and the company are scheduled.

Despite this outlook, Elliott said he is still hopeful that some agreement can be reached. He said he intends to contact the United States Conciliation Service today and ask their assistance in reaching an agreement and avoiding a strike.

Elliott likewise declared that the union has willingly agreed to submit the entire dispute to arbitration and will be bound by the written decision of the arbitration board, but he said the company so far has refused this offer.

While the situation now appears "black," Elliott said he feels it is not yet "helpless" and added that every effort will be made to reach a settlement before the expiration of the contract at midnight Friday.

Elliott said he is "not in Cumberland looking for a strike but for a settlement." He added that his union is opposed to strikes and that he no more wants a strike here "than to see Russians take over the United States."

The five-man negotiating committee of the union first met with the company on January 20 and submitted its demands at that time, according to Elliott, who said the company presented its offer on January 28.

On February 11 those proposals were submitted to the union membership at a 2 a. m. meeting, explained and rejected as unsatisfactory.

**Hopes To Avoid Strike**

At that meeting, Elliott said he prevailed on the membership not to strike until the contract expires. The membership voted to strike, he added, but gave the negotiating committee the power to call the stoppage with the understanding a strike would be called if company proposals did not more nearly meet union demands.

Elliott said he hopes a strike can be avoided because of inconvenience caused the public by a transportation tie-up, and he added that he will "welcome the assistance of anyone who can help bring us together."

Under their present contract, drivers are receiving 97 cents hourly. They are asking a wage rate of $1.20 per hour and the company is offering $1.05, Elliott said.

The present vacation set-up calls for one week vacation with 48 hours pay after the first year of employment, and two weeks vacation with 48 hours pay per week after five years.

The union is asking two weeks vacation after the second year and wants the vacation pay based on the hours drivers are working. Drivers now average 52 hours weekly, Elliott pointed out.

Members of the negotiating committee are James H. Morrison, union president; Lawrence Grim, financial secretary; Burr Powell, vice president; Nelson Rosenmerkle, shop steward, and Elmer Holler.

Henry W. Price, district manager for the Potomac Edison Company, could not be reached for comment.

# Bond Issue Bill For County Home Is Introduced

## Favorable Report On City Revenue Measure

The Allegany County delegation yesterday introduced in the General Assembly a bill authorizing a $250,000 bond issue which would enable the County Commissioners to add an annex to the Allegany County Home and Infirmary.

Plans for the proposed annex already have been submitted to the County Commissioners by Albert S. Paye, county engineer.

Part of the proposed building would be two stories high, and on the one-story section a sun-deck is provided for patients. At each end of the structure, rooms are provided for juveniles who may be detained for brief periods while cases are being disposed of in Juvenile Court.

The bond issue had been requested by the County Commissioners and the bill was referred to the delegation after being introduced.

The Ways and Means Committee of the House yesterday reported favorably on a city revenue measure which would return to the city one cent on the gasoline tax now returned to firms operating buses in the city limits, according to Horace P. Whitworth, Jr., committee member and chairman of the Allegany County delegation.

The mayor and city council asked that this bill be introduced in a move to provide additional revenue for Cumberland.

Another measure introduced by the county delegation yesterday would repeal a provision of the public local laws requiring the recording of plats for sub-division of land in Allegany county. It was referred to the delegation.

Whitworth said a hearing definitely will be held in the State House at 3:30 p. m. Thursday on a bill proposed by Delegate William H. Geppert that would require strip mining operators to leave land in the condition they found it when they began operations.

# Support Of FHA Rental Housing Program Sought

Stating that already more than 100 builders in Baltimore and other Maryland counties have pledged their support to the rental housing program suponsored by the Federal Housing Administration, E. Lester Muller, state FHA director, said yesterday he will appear to Cumberland investors and builders to support the program at a meeting here next Tuesday, March 4.

The meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. in City Hall auditorium. Builders, lumber dealers, realtors, architects and representatives of financial institutions have been invited to attend.

Muller said the FHA program calls for the construction of a large volume of rental housing as part of the national effort to produce adequate living quarters for veterans and their families.

Much of the building planned will be financed under a plan authorized by the Veterans' Emergecy Housing Act, which permits FHA to insure up to 90% of the propnecessary current cost of the property, including land and building.

Under FHA regulations, blanket mortgages may be insured on groups of housing structures, with provision for release of separate building at a future date in case of sale of these structures.

Non-veterans may construct two to four-family houses and occupy one unit while renting the remaining units, with veterans having first preference, it was pointed out.

Another source of rental dwelling units is the conversion and remodeling program, Muller said. Owners of structures who have more room than they need for their own occupancy may remodel and create an apartment for rent to a veteran. Loans for this purpose up to $5,000 are made by qualified lending institutions insured by the FHA.

Owners of structurally sound buildings not previously used for housing may convert the buildings into apartment-type housing under special provisions with long-term amortizing mortgages insured by the FHA.

# BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nave, 321½ Beall Street, announce the birth of a son in Memorial Hospital Tuesday night.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thomas Kerr, 117 West Main Street, Frostburg, in Memorial Hospital Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer A. Golden, Corriganville, announce the birth of a son in Memorial Hospital Tuesday night.

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. George R. Stimmel, Route 4, Tuesday morning in Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Duggan, 917 Glenwood Street, announce the birth of a daughter Tuesday morning in Memorial Hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Phillipss, 454 Goethe Street, Tuesday morning in Memorial Hospital.

A daughter was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. William Oswald, Jr., New York. The father is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Oswald, Roberts Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mulligan, Mt. Savage, announce the birth of a son in Miners Hospital, Frostburg, Tuesday night.

# Boy Is Injured When Hit By Sled

Donald Duncan, 10-year-old son of Mrs. Alex Duncan, Midlothian, was admitted to Miners Hospital, Frostburg, last night for treatment of a fracture of the left leg about the knee. Attaches were told the lad was injured when he was struck by a sled last night.

William H. Grace, 76-year-old Ridgeley, W. Va., farmer, was treated in Memorial Hospital last night for a right wrist injury. He told attaches he was injured while taking care of some cows. Mr. Grace was able to leave the hospital after a cast was applied.

Carroll Muntzing, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Muntzing, Petersburg, was admitted to the same hospital early last night for treatment of a deep laceration on the lip. Attaches were told the lad was cut when he fell against a barbed wire fence.

Willie Perrin, Flintstone, who was admitted to Allegany Hospital February 6, was reported in a fairly good condition. Mr. Perrin suffered a fractured leg is a fall some time ago.

Harry Shroyer, 35, Hyndman, Pa., a B. and O. blacksmith's helper, was treated in Allegany Hospital last night for lacerations and burns on the nose and right cheek. He told attaches he was injured while at work.

# Leaves Estate To Children

Admitted to probate in the Orphans' Court, the will of Mrs. Mary A. Pugh, of McCoole, who died February 8, leaves the entire estate to her seven children. They are: Mrs. Catherine Yocum, Mrs. Ruth A. Gray, James M., Wade H., Estella P. Margaret S. and Donald F. T. Pugh.

The will was drawn June 28, 1940 and witnessed by Lillian E. Frank and H. Wayne Frank.

**Weather Report**
Mostly clear today and Thursday except for a few snow flurries in mountains.

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# CIO-AFL MERGER VIRTUALLY OUT

## U. S. Will Try Again To Reach Atom Accord

### Austin Asks U. N. To Refer Changes

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Feb. 25 (AP) — The United States suggested tonight that the United Nations Atomic Energy Commission try once more to reach unanimous agreement on the long-debated problem of harnessing the atom for peace.

Warren R. Austin, chief American Delegate to the Security Council, asked the council to send back to the Atomic Commission its December report, which carried the United States plan for atomic control, and refer the changes offered by Soviet Russia and the council's comment on the whole question.

**Gromyko Blocks Vote**

However, Soviet Delegate Andrei A. Gromyko blocked a vote on the United States resolution by telling the Council he would speak at the next meeting. The council adjourned at 5:43 p. m. (E. S. T.) and will take up atomic energy again Friday at 3 p. m. (E. S. T.)

The meeting was overshadowed by developments in the trusteeship field which will have a decided bearing on the council session at 3 p. m. (E. S. T.) tomorrow when the delegates will hear Austin make a major speech on the American request for sole authority to administer the Japanese-mandated Pacific Islands.

Russia informed the United States that she approved the American trusteeship. This caused expressions of surprise and evident pleasure among the council delegate.

Austin pointed to disagreements and agreements between the United States atomic plan, adopted by a 10 to 0 vote of the 12-member Atomic Commission, and the Russian plan, as put before the council by Andrei A. Gromyko, Soviet Delegate to the council.

"We are not going to allow a breakdown in our negotiations or force it to where the veto would be used," Austin said.

Eduardo Zuleta Angel of Colombia made his first statement on Colombia's stand since becoming a member of the council in January, lining up his country beside the United States.

**Favors U. S. Resolution**

Guy De La Tournelle, of France, favored the United States resolution but proposed that the commission be instructed to make a report to the council before the U. N. Assembly meets next September.

The United States and Russia are divided mainly over the veto question. The United States has insisted there must be no veto on atomic matters. Russia has demanded that all atomic control come within the final authority of the Security Council, in which Russia and four other great powers hold the authority to kill any vital matter.

The United States also has proposed creation of an Atomic Development Authority to handle all atomic matters. Russia has suggested a Control Commission which, in effect, would be principally a police body.

**"OBSERVERS" ON DUTY**—Spotters posted by striking teachers in front of Technical High School, Buffalo, N. Y., yesterday were joined by curious students, many of whom offered their moral support to their instructors' demands for more pay.

## 'Labor Smearing Isn't Needed,' Whitney Says

### Government Blamed For Railroad Strike

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25—(AP)—A. F. Whitney, leader of the railroad strike last May, roared to the House Labor Committee today:

"There is no need to smear labor by writing a multiplicity of laws that would make it appear that labor is a bunch of bandits."

His outburst came at the end of a crowded day in which Joe Curran and Harry Bridges, who have recently become open enemies in the Maritime Labor Field, complained bitterly to the Senate Labor Committee against pending legislation which they called anti-labor.

**Rail Dispute Unsettled**

Whitney told the House Group that last year's railroad dispute is "still unsettled" but he is "going on the theory" that it will be settled without another strike this spring.

Two unions, Whitney's trainmen and the railroad engineers, were forced by the government on May 25 to end their strike without the changes in working rules which they ardently sought. When Whitney testified today that this issue still exists, Rep. Nixon (R-Calif.) asked whether the matter was "sufficient to cause a strike."

Whitney said: "I can't answer that now. I'm not going to cross the bridge until we come to it. I'm not prepared to predict what will happen next May. But I'm going on the theory that we will meet the railroads and effect a settlement."

He attributed the 1946 strike to "government interference."

Curran and Bridges, CIO Maritime Union Leaders who worked together in the 1946 shipping strikes, did not appear on Capitol Hill in person. But they sent statements to the Senate Labor Committee charging that present "Anti-Labor Bills" are nothing more than efforts by "monopoly interests" to destroy labor unions.

Meantime chunky David Dubinsky, president of the AFL Ladies' Garment Workers, which has a long record of labor peace, testified before the Senate Group.

He told Senator Ball (R-Minn.) that Ball's proposals to outlaw industry-wide bargaining and the closed or union shop would deal "a body blow to our Democracy" and increase industrial strife "a thousand-fold."

Senators asked that Dubinsky give his own solution to industry-wide

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## President Orders Reciprocal Trade Guards Tightened

### Vandenberg, Milliki Pleased With Move

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP) — President Truman today announced he had ordered tighter safeguards on reciprocal trade agreements with other countries as a prelude to the 19-nation World Trade Confegence in Geneva in April.

The President issued an executive order which, he said, is designed to make "doubly sure that American interests will be properly safeguarded."

**Seeks To Calm Fears**

Apparently seeking to calm fears that the United States might become a dumping ground for cheap foreign goods, the President ordered the insertion of "escape clauses" in trade pacts with other nations, so that tariff or other concessions which proved harmful to American producers could be cancelled.

He also set up machinery providing for appeals to the tariff commission by persons who feel they are damaged by imports.

Senators Vandenberg (R-Mich) and Millikin (R-Colo), who had suggested that the President modify the trade pact program in order to head off a Congressional movement to scrap or greatly modify it, issued the following joint statement tonight:

"We welcome the President's order as a substantial advance in the legitimate and essential domestic protections which should be part of an equally essential foreign trade program. The President refers to the fact that his order is the result of suggestions by us. This is entirely true in respect to the provisions for post-agreement appeals if and when affected domestic interests may be jeopardized. Here the United States Tariff Commission has responsibility to make direct protective recommendations to the President.

**Order Differs**

"The President's order differs, however, from our suggestions that the Tariff Commission should have somewhat similar direct responsibilities to prevent errors before they occur. But in the main we count the President's order as highly useful in a desirable direction. x x x"

Other reaction on Capitol Hill was mixed. Some Democrats applauded the President's move, while foes of low tariff barriers vigorously renewed their cries against "free trade."

## Leningrad Hero Would Quit Post

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP) — Marshal Andrei Aleksandrovitch Zhdanov, hero of the Battle of Leningrad, has asked to be relieved of his post as chairman of the Council of the Union of the Supreme Soviet, the Moscow radio said tonight.

The reason for the request, the Broadcast said, was "pressure of work connected with his main duties."

## Blonde Stowaway Is Returned To France

MOBILE, Ala., Feb. 25 (AP)—Emilie Beyer, 19-year-old blonde French stowaway, was taken to Pensacola, Fla., today and placed aboard the American Steamship James Gunn to be deported to France.

The young woman arrived here earlier this month aboard the Gunn, and a seaman employed on the same vessel later told an immigration inquiry board he would go back to France and marry her.

The seaman, Emil Abent of 420 East Fort Street, Baltimore, signed for duty aboard the vessel on his return trip to France, L. L. Shelley, naturalization officer in Mobile, said.

Miss Beyer, who said she had hoped to get in touch with an uncle by the name of Karl Beyer in North Dakota (town unknown), was excluded from entry into this country by the board of inquiry and ordered deported.

## Bookkeeper Is Held

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP) — A 52-year-old bookkeeper was held on charges of grand larceny and forgery tonight after, police reported, he admitted the theft of $25,000 of the $50,000 he is accused of taking from a trucking firm through the manipulation of books and the forgery of checks to former employes.

## Truman Talk Wrecked Holy Land Plans

### Election Statement 'Caused Breakdown'

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP)—Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin declared today that President Truman had "spoiled" Britain's negotiations on Palestine by insisting on issuing a statement during the United States Congressional election campaign last fall calling for the admission of 100,000 Jews to the Holy Land.

Bevin told the House of Commons that he had "begged" James F. Byrnes, then United States Secretary of State, "that the statement should not be issued, but I was told that if it was not issued by Mr. Truman a competitive statement would be issued by Mr. Dewey." (Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York).

**Critical of Statement**

"I really must point out that in international affairs I cannot settle things if my problem is to be made the subject of local elections," he said.

The Foreign Minister said Britain was still willing to make one more try to settle the Palestine problem before referring it to the United Nations. He also asserted that Arabs could be persuaded to allow 100,000 Jews to enter the Holy Land if future immigration "was to be determined by the elected representatives of the people of Palestine."

"There is still a chance of a settlement yet, if people will come off their arbitrary position, without going to the United Nations," he said.

"I am still open to a try. If it was only a question of alleviating Europe of 100,000 Jews, I believe a settlement could be found. x x x unfortunately that is not the position. From the Zionist point of view, 100,000 is only a beginning The Jewish Agency talks in terms of millions."

Bevin apparently ruled out the possibility of dividing Palestine into separate Arab and Jewish states He said that as he saw it, there were three alternatives for the United Nations to consider:

"1. Shall the claim of the Jews be admitted that Palestine is to be a Jewish state; or

"2. Shall the claim of the Arabs

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## U. S. Label Will Mark Relief Goods

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP)—Under Secretary of State Will Clayton told Congress today that the United States intends to slap a distinct "Made in America" label on future foreign relief and that shipments will be under terms so tough that some countries may refuse them.

Clayton testified before the House Foreign Affairs Committee on a proposed $350,000,000 relief program to be limited to Austria, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Poland and China.

The intention, he said, is to let the people of foreign lands know where their bread and butter is coming from — an assurance designed to meet criticism that they were kept in the dark on this nation's UNRRA aid.

Clayton did not specify which of the six countries may refuse to accept the aid rather than meet terms to be written in individual agreements.

Committee members had pressed for assurance that countries "under Russian domination" would be required to distribute the American-bought relief without discrimination and under open scrutiny of the American Press and radio.

In a related field, Chairman Vandenberg (R-Mich) of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee asked prompt action on President Truman's request for United States participation in the International Refugee Organization.

Vandenberg called for his committee to meet Saturday on the necessary legislation.

## Britain Gets U. S. Support On India Political Plans

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP) — The United States today threw it's moral support behind Britain's efforts to set up a free and independent India by June, 1948, and urged India's leading political factions to get together.

Secretary of State Marshall, in announcing United States backing for Britain's program, warned in a statement that civil strife in India could become the source of "new international tensions in a world only now beginning to grope its way back to peace."

Marshall specifically appealed to the Congress Party and the Moslem League to resolve their political differences.

The two groups are co-operating in an interim government set up last September by the British but the Moslem League has refused to participate in an assembly to draw up a constitution for a Federal Union of India.

The league continues to campaign for a separate Moslem state, an arrangement strongly opposed by the Congress Party.

Marshall recalled that Prime Minister Attlee pledged Britain to transfer power "into responsible Indian hands by a date not later than June, 1948."

Referring to the "grave character" of this decision, the Secretary said the United States "profoundly hopes that Indian political leadership will accept this clear cut challenge and proceed to break the impasse between the Congress and Moslem League."

## Investigators Believe Baltimore Store Blaze Was Deliberately Set

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Investigators of the Fire Department's Incendiary Bureau today combed the wreckage of the fifth floor of the May Company, one of Baltimore's largest department stores, as department officials expressed belief the blaze was set deliberately.

Chief Engineer Howard Travers said Incendiary Bureau members were querying a "long list of witnesses" in an attempt to find out why sections of the automatic sprinkler system did not work and why the fire broke out in fou separate places in a short space of time.

Travers said the sprinkler system "had been tampered with or deliberately shut off" either before or during the fire.

The fire broke out last night about two hours after the store closed for the day. Thousands of persons watched as more than 50 fire companies battled the blaze which firemen said damaged or destroyed "hundreds of thousands of dollars" worth of stock.

**HONORING IWO JIMA DEAD**—As four engined military planes fly overhead, services are conducted at the Iwo Jima cemetery in honor of those who died in the 1945 invasion of the then Japanese Island fortress. Mt. Suribachi rises in background. The service was held in commemoration of the second anniversary of the invasion.

## Talk Of Dollar Bacon Frightens New York Market

### 10 Per Cent Rent Hike Is Favored

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP) — A Senate Subcommittee voted today to raise rents 10 per cent, while soaring commodity prices brought talk of "dollar bacon" in Chicago and scared the New York Stock Market into a decline.

The day didn't bring totally bad news for consumers, however.

A Washington meeting of the American Retail Federation heard these declarations:

**Consumers Will Be Selective**

By Chairman Jerome M. Ney of the federation — "prices are higher than consumers want to pay and as supply reasserts itself, the consumer will become more selective in buying. Retailers must, in the consumer interest, insist on economic prices from their sources and see to it that quality returns to even better than pre-war standards."

By President Walter Morrow of the federation — "many industry leaders are moving positively in the direction of lower prices (and this will) do more than any one thing to take the steam out of rising wage demands."

By Chairman Edwin G. Nourse of President Truman's Council of Economic Advisers — business in 1947 will swing "definitely from a seller's market to a buyer's market."

New York reported there already is a buyer's market in scores of its hotels, with week-enders finding accommodations available without reservations. In Washington also hotel space was reported much easier to get than in the war years.

Labor department officials who fit retail and wholesale prices into consumer price indices declined to predict what might happen to food prices in the next few months.

Nevertheless, some of the department experts agreed that the recent highs for wholesale prices point naturally to higher retail prices.

**Record Highs Reached**

At Chicago today, record high marks were reached in commodity prices with hogs selling for $30 a hundred pounds. Cotton got as high as 35.02 cents a pound before it broke and wheat futures for a time were at a 30-year high of $2.39 a bushel.

In Washington, Maj. Gen. Philip B. Fleming, head of the office of temporary controls, told the Senate Appropriations Committee he sees a danger of sugar going as high as 30 cents a pound.

He said this could well happen unless Congress grants some $16,-

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## WAA Gives 'Inch' Lines Sale Okay

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 — (AP) — The War Assets Administration announced today the Justice Department has approved sale of the big inch and little inch pipelines to the Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation for $143,127,000.

WAA Administrator Robert M. Littlejohn immediately signed a formal letter on intent which means that WAA has accepted the company's cash proposal to buy the lines for the movement of natural gas to the Eastern Seaboard.

The Texas Eastern Company, however, still must obtain a certificate of public convenience and necessity from the Federal Power Commission before it can begin deliveries. Senator Myers (D-Pa.) has said the sale is "not final at all" and has asked a thorough investigation by FPC before gas is moved east of the Alleghenies.

The line is now in limited operation by the Tennessee Gas and Transmission Campany, carrying natural gas as far as the Pittsburgh area. Pennsylvania interests have opposed the movement of natural gas into the New York-Philadelphia area where it would compete with production of anthracite coal in Pennsylvania.

Approval by the Justice Department is required on all large real property sales of government surplus, to assure that they do not contravene anti-trust laws.

Texas Eastern must be ready in nine months to put up the full purchase price. This is the meaning of "cash" under the terms of the disposal contract.

The company expects an ultimate capitalization of $182,000,000 to cover the purchase, costs of preparing the lines for movement of 425,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily, and initial operating expense.

## Guaranteed Wage Is Not Question For Legislation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP) — President Truman's Reconversion Advisory Board recommended today that the question of a guaranteed wage "be referred to free collective bargaining."

In a unanimous report, the board declared flatly that adoption of guaranteed wage plans "should not be the subject of legislative action, but should be referred to free collective bargaining."

The board, an advisory group to the Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion, is headed by George W. Taylor as chairman.

It also reported:

1. Stabilization of employment and its effectuation through wage or employment guarantees, "wherever possible, are matters of mutual concern to employers and employes," and each party "has the definite responsibility of seeking to stabilize operations within a plant or industry in order to advance the level of general economic security."

2. Progress toward the achievement of stability through the institution of guaranteed wages "is affected by existing legislation in the fields of social insurance, minimum wages, fiscal and tax policies." Consequently, the board suggested, "it is essential to review and evaluate all such programs" with a view to co-ordinating all of them to attain stable employment.

3. The guaranteed wage is a "significant but not an all-sufficient tool which may be employed in building national economic security and stability."

4. Since there is "urgent need" to establish economic stability and the "guaranteed wage is one of the instruments for the elimination" of industrial and employment fluctuations, the board recommended "continuing study to advance the frontiers of knowledge in this area."

## Big-4 Deputies Fail To Write Peace Drafts

### Unable To Overcome Major Differences

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP)—The deputies of the Four-Power Foreign Ministers Council ended a six-weeks conference tonight without an agreement on how the victorious allies are to write a peace for Germany or the draft of a treaty for Austria.

The deputies considering the German question were unable to overcome differences on the question of how large a share 18 smaller allies shall have in making a peace for Germany, and the Foreign Ministers who meet in Moscow March 10 will have no agreed recommendation on basic procedure before them.

**Have Different Plans**

Instead, the Foreign Ministers will receive diverse recommendations from the four deputies and a mass of suggestions from smaller allies. The council therefore will have to begin with deciding how to work out the German treaty rather than with getting down to the substance of the peace.

In the final session the deputies bogged down even on the question of how they were to report their disagreement.

Feodor Gousev, the Russian deputy, objected to a report which would have summarized points on which Russia, Britain, France and the United States were agreed and would have presented disagreed points in the form of marginal notes or annexes.

Finally it was agreed the deputies would simply report in this language: "The deputies failed to work out procedure for consultations with allied governments."

**Russia Objects**

Throughout the conference Russia has objected to the full participation in the German peace making demanded by the smaller powers.

The deputies considering a treaty for an independent Austria succeeded only in organizing a rough draft, in which are many blank spaces and unagreed sections.

The four-power negotiators disagreed on two main points: Yugoslavia's claim to 1,000 square miles of Austrian Carinthia, and a definition of "German assets" in Austria to be distributed as reparations.

## "99 To One" McKeldin Won't Be Candidate

ANNAPOLIS, Md. Feb. 25—(AP)—Mayor Theodore R. McKeldin took a tip from a breakfast table straw vote and announced today "it's at least 99 to one I won't be a candidate" for the Republican nomination for re-election this spring.

He told legislators at an informal meeting here that the breakfast gathering was attended by the Mayor, Mrs. McKeldin, their son Teddy, 11, and daughter Clare, 7.

Teddy led the opposition to the Mayor's becoming a candidate.

## Green Regrets CIO Rejecting Offer To Meet

### Also Writes Taft About Situation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP) — Prospects for any immediate merger of the American Federation of Labor and the Congress of Industrial Organizations virtually vanished today when the AFL took the position that the CIO had rejected its unification proposal.

AFL President William Green, in a letter to CIO Chief Philip Murray, said he deeply regretted that the CIO had "declined the request" to meet "for the purpose of creating a united organized labor movement on a sound and permanent basis."

Green added that an AFL committee of five stood "ready to meet with you and your associates for the purpose of creating organic unity and solidarity within the ranks of labor."

**Would Discuss Unity**

Murray had told Green in a letter February 18 that "organic unity" could be discussed eventually, but that the first step was to co-operate in fighting off unwanted legislation in Congress and State Legislatures.

On those two differences of opinion the chance for merger at this time seemed to have been dashed. The door which Green had appeared to open in a letter to Murray January 31 was swung almost shut in the exchange of communications which followed. Both organizations named committees to meet and talk things over, but that was as far as it has gone.

The AFL President also wrote a letter today to Senator Taft (R-Ohio) chairman of the Senate Labor Committee which last week heard Murray suggest that jurisdictional strikes could be eliminated if the committee called himself and Green together for a meeting on the subject. Taft had commented that was not the committee's task.

Green told Taft that merger of the two organizations would promptly terminate the conflict between unions for jurisdiction over groups of workers. He said Murray never before had attempted to get together with the AFL on the jurisdictional issue.

In his letter to Murray, Green said:

"It must be clearly obvious to the most unsophisticated person that the division which exists within the ranks of labor serves as a basis for the advocacy of anti-labor legislation by our enemies.

"Such a situation could be remedied through the establishment of a united labor movement.

"The committee representing the American Federation of Labor is prepared to meet with the committee representing the Congress of Industrial Organizations for the purpose of ending division, rivalry and discord within the ranks of labor.

**"First Things First"**

"The committee representing the (AFL) Executive Council believes in doing first things first. Surely time and experience have shown that the first step we should take in order to convince all classes of people of our sincerity, would be to meet and agree to terminate division within our ranks and establish, instead, unity and solidarity.

"x x x until this is accomplished, no good purpose will be served by attempting to deal with a vital problem in a temporary and makeshift way. We believe the ranks and file of labor are tired of the rivalry and division which exists within the ranks of labor. I am confident they want to become a part of a strong, united labor movement.

"We of the AFL are anxious to translate these hopes and desires of the rank and file of labor into an established fact."

## 100 Escape Injury

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 25 (AP) — About 100 employes escaped injury today in a heavy explosion of aluminum powder at a Louisville plant of the Reynolds Metals Company.

V. E. Furnace, plant manager, estimated the damage at $20,000 to $25,000 from the explosion and fire which followed. Flames were visible for several blocks and the explosion rocked the neighborhood.

## Couple Held In California On Federal Slavery Charge

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Feb. 25 (AP)—Alfred Wesley Ingalls, 64, identified by Assistant United States Attorney William Ritzi as a retired lawyer and former Massachusetts Legislator, and his wife Elizabeth, 62, were arraigned today on a federal charge that they kept a negro housemaid under involuntary servitude for nearly 30 years.

They declared their innocence and were released on $2,500 bond each. Ritzi said in Los Angeles that a Federal Grand Jury will be asked tomorrow to indict them on a charge of violating the Federal Slavery Laws.

FBI Agents arrested Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls in their fashionable Coronado home on a "confidential tip," Ritzi said, and they later were arraigned on a United States Commissioner's complaint charging they kept the housemaid, Miss Dora L. Jones, 57, in "involuntary servitude and slavery."

Ritzi, quoting from FBI reports, said the case had its inception in 1905, when Mrs. Ingalls went to Alabama as a missionary school teacher. She became a friend of the negro girl, then 17. Later Mrs. Ingalls married a man named Walter Harman and took Miss Jones from Alabama to Washington to work in her home as a maid.

Ritzi said there allegedly followed an incident which gave Mrs. Harman an opportunity to hold over the negro maid's head threats of criminal prosecution or commitment to an institution for the insane.

Ten years later the Harmans were divorced and she married Ingalls. Eventually, the couple moved to Lynn, Mass., and later to Boston, where they are said to have purchased an apartment house. Ritzi said Miss Jones was employed there but received no compensation.

Ritzi said the FBI report declared that when the Ingalls came to California from Massachusetts, Miss Jones was required to sleep in bathtubs or in the back of the automobile, and that she slept in the car for a month at Coronado while Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls stayed at a hotel.

At their arraignment, Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls termed the charges ridiculous and said they would be cleared.

## Human Chain Fails To Save Three Children From Drowning In River

PASSAIC, N. J., Feb. 25 (AP) — Three children drowned in the ice-covered Passaic River today as police and firemen sought vainly to stretch a human chain to their side.

The would-be rescuers, who reached out from the Wallington side of the river, were within 10 feet of two of the victims when the children loosed their holds on the ice and vanished, eye witnesses reported.

The identities of the children were not determined immediately.

Witnesses at the scene said the children were spotted about 50 feet from shore. One of them fell through the ice and disappeared. They said a negro boy was holding up a white boy as rescuers approached, but evidently weakened by the frigid waters, lost his hold and both slipped beneath the surface.

An eye-witness, Stanley Lanuda, of Wallington, who lives nearby, said one of the boys in the water yelled:

"Don't come any nearer. The ice is cracking. We're going under. You'll go too."

The cries of the stricken children, whose ages were estimated as between 10 and 12, were clearly heard by the crowd of 300 to 400 tense spectators. One child was heard to cry that he was cold and freezing.

# Expectant Mother Hears Witnesses Tell Of Shooting

## Mrs. Abney Held For Killing Mate

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Mrs. Mildred Abney, 21-year-old expectant mother sat calmly in Federal Court today as several witnesses told of seeing her fire shots into the body of her soldier-husband near the bus depot at nearby Fort George G. Meade.

Government testimony was concluded before a blue-ribbon jury in the trial of Mrs. Abney on charges of killing her husband, Sgt. Richard Jean Abney, 28, of Junction City, Kans., last January 6. Defense testimony is scheduled for tomorrow.

**Tells of Events**

Several government witnesses told Judge William C. Coleman and the jury the events which led up to the Conshocken (Pa.) woman's arrest.

Charles J. Willkie, a bus driver, testified he was sitting in his bus at the depot when he heard two shots. As he was running to the scene, he related, two more shots were fired while the soldier was lying on the ground.

Willkie said he grabbed the gun from Mrs. Abney's upraised hand and then turned her over to military police.

The witness told the court that Mrs. Abney was crying. Then, Willkie said, she exclaimed:

"Jean, I didn't want to shoot you, but I told you if you didn't come back to me, I would kill you."

Willkie said that a few minutes later Mrs. Abney told the crowd standing around that she was "carrying the baby for him" but that her husband had wanted to leave her for another woman.

**Couple Separated**

Assistant United States Attorney Anthony Purcell said in his opening statement that Abney had advised his wife he no longer wanted to live with her and that she had visited Fort Meade twice in unsuccessful attempts to effect a reconciliation.

The jury was told Mrs. Abney was given complete mental and physical examinations before being ordered to stand trial and that the child is expected in four months.

Mrs. Abney had asked for a quick trial in order to "get it over" before the baby arrived.

Judge Coleman refusd to admit into evidence oral statements made by the defendant to military officers on grounds the officers had failed to advise her of her constitutional rights.

The Abneys were married last March.

# Magician's Poultry Vanishes Without Help

CHICAGO, Feb. 25 (AP) — Clarence A. Frank, a magician who earns his living by making poultry disappear, went out to feed his props today and discovered they had vanished without any help from him.

Frank, of Hutchinson, Kans., had his ducks, pigeons and various other equipment of his act, valued at $20,000, in a truck parked outside his hotel. When he got there with his bag of feed, truck and contents were gone.

Later, two detectives found a parked truck, its rear and side windows broken. Inside were Goo Goo and Wanda, Frank's vanishing ducks.

**'IKE' LAUNCHES DRIVE**—Appearing before 450 Jewish leaders gathered in Washington, U. S. Army Chief of Staff Dwight Eisenhower (center) called upon the American people to support the record $170,000,000 United Jewish appeal for relief of Europe's 1,500,000 homeless and destitute survivors. He is shown being greeted by Henry Morgenthau, Jr., former Secretary of the Treasury and general chairman of the drive. Former Gov. Herbert Lehman, New York, is looking on.

# State Lottery Offered As Means To Raise Funds For Aged Persons

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 25 (AP) — Delegate Frederick (D-Balto Sixth) suggested to the General Assembly today that a commission be named by the Governor to look into the possibilities of creating a state lottery to raise funds for the caring of aged persons.

In a joint resolution, which was referred to the House Ways and Means Committee, Frederick said there are in Maryland "thousands of aged persons with either no visible or no sufficient means of livelihood."

"The very presence of such persons, and the necessity for their engaging in arduous and menial work in order to eke out a bare existence, raise serious questions of social policy in an age which boasts of its social enlightment."

Frederick said the state owns large tracts of land upon which buildings and facilities could be erected to accommodate many of the aged and under-privileged.

"A state lottery," he added, "could conveniently and easily supply the funds necessary for such a project." The type of lottery was not outlined.

## Truman Talk

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be admitted that it is to be an Arab state with safeguards for the Jew, under the decision for a national home; or

"3. Shall it be a Palestinian state in which the interests of both communities are as carefully balanced and protected as possible?"

The Foreign Minister said he had decided that two states capable of surviving as nations could not be formed out of Palestine, but added "you can make one x x x and transfer the rest to another Arab state."

In the slow, deliberate voice of a classroom lecturer, Bevin told the House that he was on the verge of what might have been a solution last fall, when "the whole thing was spoiled" by President Truman's statement.

"At that stage things looked more hopeful and there was a feeling—I don't think I over-estimate it—that I had the right approach at last."

# Governor's Budget Is Approved By Senate Committee

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 25 (AP) — Governor Lane's budget cleared its first hurdle today when the Senate Finance Committee voted approval of state expenditures totaling $167,000,000 for the next biennium.

Of the total, $91,000,000 would come from general funds and the remainder would come from special funds and other sources.

But the legislature's concentration on fiscal matters was far from ended. Senator Sothoron (D-Prince George's), chairman of the Finance Group, announced he would name a sub-committee to study the accounting system used in State Departments, then scheduled a series of hearings on various departmental budget requests.

The committee's approval, moved by Senator George (D-Queen Anne's), followed a joint meeting with the House Ways and Means Committee.

It was noted that only 72 of the 300 pages in the budget had been given intensive study, but Delegate Pumphrey (D-Prince George's), chairman of the House Committee, observed that at the rate things were going, it would take until July Fourth to complete the job.

The forthcoming hearings will be on requests of departments seeking the largest increases. The results of the hearings will be reflected in the supplemental budgets Governor Lane will present later in the session.

Requests of the Department of Health, Mental Hospitals and State Tuberculosis Sanatoria will be considered at the first meeting tomorrow at 11 a. m.

Budget Director Walter N. Kirkman said the increases are essential. Original requests were cut first by his department, he explained, and then by the governor.

The Finance Committee made only two amendments to the Senate's bill. One eliminated a provision for a nurse for the executive mansion—a deletion the Governor had suggested—and one inspector. Both were a part of the budget for the superintendent of public buildings and grounds.

The accounting system review was authorized at the request of Senator Barton (D-Balto Second). He described the present system as "antiquated."

New paper bags made of wet strength paper absorb moisture without breaking, and are used by stores as containers for wet beverage bottles, fresh vegetables, and other wet objects. Even if rained upon they do not disintegrate, and regain their full strength when dry.

# Russia Approves U. S. Trusteeship Over Jap Islands

## Diplomats Surprised By Soviet Cordiality

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP)—In a surprise move, Russia has stamped its cordial approval on a plan for American control of the 623 Pacific islands wrested from Japanese mandate, Secretary of State Marshall disclosed today.

A Moscow note took the position that United States control would be entirely fair because the blood shed in evicting the Japanese was largely American.

**Sets Capital Buzzing**

The note set the Capital buzzing with speculation. Marshall was asked at a news conference whether he thought Moscow was trying to set a precedence to justify the Soviets' own postwar land acquisitions. He declined comment.

Russia had been generally expected to side with the British and Australian contention that the United Nations should postpone the whole question of the future of the strategic Marshall, Marianas, and Caroline groups until a peace treaty is written with Japan.

Marshall gave a news conference a paraphrase of the Russian note which made no mention of delay. Moscow in the communication which arrived yesterday said Russia took into account that the islands were won chiefly by American Armed Forces.

Russian-American affairs on the eve of next month's Moscow peace conference of the Big Four Foreign Ministers dominated a series of announcements and comments by Marshall, which included:

1. There has been no change whatever in general policies of the United states on terms of a European postwar settlement from the pronouncements of Former Secretary James F. Byrnes last fall at Stuttgart and the American positions at the 1945 Potsdam conference.

**Delegation Selected**

2. An American delegation of 84 has been selected for the Moscow conference and will leave by air probably March 5. It includes John Foster Dulles, Republican Foreign Affairs adviser who has attended earlier conferences and was chosen for Moscow with the concurrence of Chairman Vandenberg (R-Mich) of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

3. Marshall considers as closed the diplomatic quarrel resulting from Undersecretary Dean Acheson's comment that Soviet foreign policy was "aggresive and expanding." The State Department plans no reply to Foreign Minister Molotov's latest note which said that Marshall's explanation was unconvincing.

4. At Moscow Marshall will be guided by circumstances, in taking up with Molotov issues not involved in the German and Austrian peace settlements. He said, however, he did not anticipate bringing up the stalemate over Korea.

5. The United States "profoundly hopes," Marshall said in a formal statement, that India will accept the "challenge" of the British offer of self-government by 1948 and proceed to break the impasse between the Congress and the Moslem league.

6. Romania has assured the United States that it will refrain from discrimination and carry out faithfully other stipulations made by President Truman, in distributing 7,000 tons of United States Army food to famine-stricken Moldavia Province.

## Talk Of Dollar

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000,000 of funds slashed by the House from OPA and other control agencies.

Rent control would be stopped officially December 31 in a bill which the Senate Banking Subcommittee adopted on a 3 to 2 vote. The bill provides that a 10 per cent increase be allowed immediately.

St. Louis is the only city in the nation with a Federal Reserve Bank and a Federal Land Bank.

# MacArthur Urges Speedy Signing Of Jap's Treaty

TOKYO, Feb. 25—(AP)—Interior Secretary Krug and General MacArthur today advocated a speedup of democratization processes for American controlled islands of the Pacific and for Japan.

Krug, on a tour of Pacific Islands administered by the United States, said the natives should be given "a measure of the freedom we have at home." Specifically, he advocated United States citizenship for Samoans and Guamnians in recognition of their long association with the United States.

MacArthur told Rep. Poulson (R-Calif), Rep. Engle (D-Calif) and Delegate Farrington (R-Hawaii) all of Krug's party that:

1—A formal peace treaty should be signed quickly with Japan which "can become a more thorough democracy than Germany."

2—Delay in concluding the peace is handicapping Japan's development and might make the country too dependent upon the United States.

3—Japan has a capable self-government—one of the conditions named last year by former Secretary of State Byrnes as prerequisite to a treaty.

Krug also conferred with MacArthur, discussing for two hours self-government for Pacific Islands. The secretary declined to say what proposals he would make to President Truman after his return to Washington March 4 but told an interviewer:

1—"Government of the islands should be based on minimum interference with the natives' traditions and tribal customs. Native chieftains govern well when left alone."

2—Okinawa should be disassociated from other, smaller islands. It "is a large land mass with some 400,000 residents. It presents different problems. I was very much impressed with the job being done there under MacArthur."

## Bleacher Collapse Probe Is Begun

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Feb. 25 (AP) — Purdue University engineering experts set out today to learn the cause of the collapse that tumbled 3,500 basketball fans into a tangled heap from which two persons were taken out dead and 250 others injured.

Of the injured, 142 remained in two hospitals and the university infirmary, and at least nine of them were reported in critical condition.

The bleachers fell last night at the halftime intermission of the Purdue-Wisconsin basketball game as the fans arose to cheer the home team, which held a one point lead over the Badgers.

Dr. Frederick L. Hovde, 39-year-old president of Purdue who headed the Government's rocket development program during the war, took the lead in ascertaining the cause of the accident. In a preliminary report to Gov. Ralph F. Gates he attributed it to "structural failure of materials."

# Race, Amusement Tax To Replace Tax Levy Offered

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 25—Additional taxes on race tracks and amusements were suggested today as partial substitutes for a planned two per cent state consumer's sales levy and boosts in Maryland income taxes.

Delegate John H. Reed (D-Balto 5th) offered the program and estimated it would add $10,000,000 annually to the state's revenues.

The general sales tax, proposed last week by Governor Lane, would raise an estimated $18,000,000 annually.

Reed, admitting that his program fell far short of the financial needs, nevertheless urged that other legislators come up with some ideas to find additional taxes so that the sales tax would not be necessary.

"I am just one opponent of the sales tax," he said after the House adjourned a quiet, routine session. "The others who are opposing it should have some ideas to make up the difference. If they don't, they shouldn't oppose the tax."

Reed said that he was preparing a bill for introduction in the House which would place an extra five per cent "emergency" tax on race track betting, calculated to raise an additional $5,000,000 annually.

The take from the tracks is now 10 per cent, the tracks getting six and the state four. The extra levy would boost the take to 15 per cent, with the state getting nine per cent of it. Reed said that such extra tax money now is collected in New York, Kansas, and the state of Washington.

He also introduced a bill today to repeal an act of the extraordinary session of the legislature last December which gives the tracks one-half of the "breakage." The Reed Bill would give the state all of the breakage, estimated by Reed to be about $2,000,000 per year. The tracks now take one-half of the breakage computed to 10 cents.

Reed also suggested that the state amusement tax be increased from one and a half per cent to 10 per cent. He estimated that this would boost the revenue from this source from $250,000 to $3,700,000 per year.

During a brief Senate session, five new bills were introduced, three local, and two of state-wide character. One of the state-wide bills would include the superintendent of the state accident fund in the merit system, and the other would exempt the Boy Scouts of America from taxes on real or personal property.

Six bills were passed, one of which would repeal a law to refund a cent of the lateral road gasoline tax on commercial vehicles operated regularly and exclusively by business in Baltimore City or other municipalities. This was amended by the House as an emergency measure, effective immediately upon the governor's signature, in order to avoid providing tags to such vehicle users this year.

The rough Turkish towel originally was used as a ceremonial towel or head kerchief by only distinguished guests and the nobility, a Chicago Art Institute official reports.

**AN EYE FOR A HOME**—Here's a man who is literally willing to give his right eye for a home. He's Leroy Stewart, Peoria, Ill., factory worker, whose wife and three children live with her parents at Belleflower, Ill. He sees them only on weekends. Eleven persons share the house. So he's offered to sell one of his eyes for money enough to buy a home for his family.

## Labor Smearing

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crippling strikes, as in the coal and steel industries.

Dubinsky, smiling, replied: "Maybe if I would know, I would become a Senator."

Whitney, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, the man whom President Truman blasted on the radio last May 24 during the railroad strike, went before the House Labor Committee.

His testimony took a new twist: In an atmosphere where numerous members of Congress seek to outlaw the closed shop in industry generally, Whitney urged that the Railway Labor Act be changed to permit the closed shop and union shop in the railroad industry. This act now bars such contracts.

# Georgia Citizens Group Will Fight Talmadge Faction

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 25 (AP) — Leaders of "The Aroused Citizens of Georgia" will undertake tomorrow to reorganize Georgia's Democratic Party and purge it of the political faction led by the late Eugene Talmadge.

Formed a month ago to protest the unprecedented election of Herman Talmadge by the Legislature to the governorship term of his late father, the citizens' group is represented by a 75-man Executive Committee.

Spokesmen declined predictions "until after the committee meets," but sources within the committee told the Associated Press the group would be asked to read Talmadge and his faction out of the Democratic party. Talmadge will be accused of "bolting" the party and thus forfeiting leadership.

The move, significantly, follows registration of the name "Democratic party," and two similar designations with Georgia's Secretary of State. A reorganization such as is contemplated could lead to rival primary elections or conventions, and eventually to rival "democratic" parties competing in the general election.

Talmadge declined comment on possible revolt within the Democratic party, saying: "Let's don't anticipate what time the moon will rise April 15."

Critics of Talmadge's "White Primary" Act, which seeks to perpetuate white supremacy by making primary elections into "club" affairs which exclude negroes, warned repeatedly in the legislature that it would lead to formation of a second party. They described the legislation as "a black primary" and predicted negroes would obtain the balance of power if rival factions fought it out in the general election. Negroes cannot be barred from general elections.


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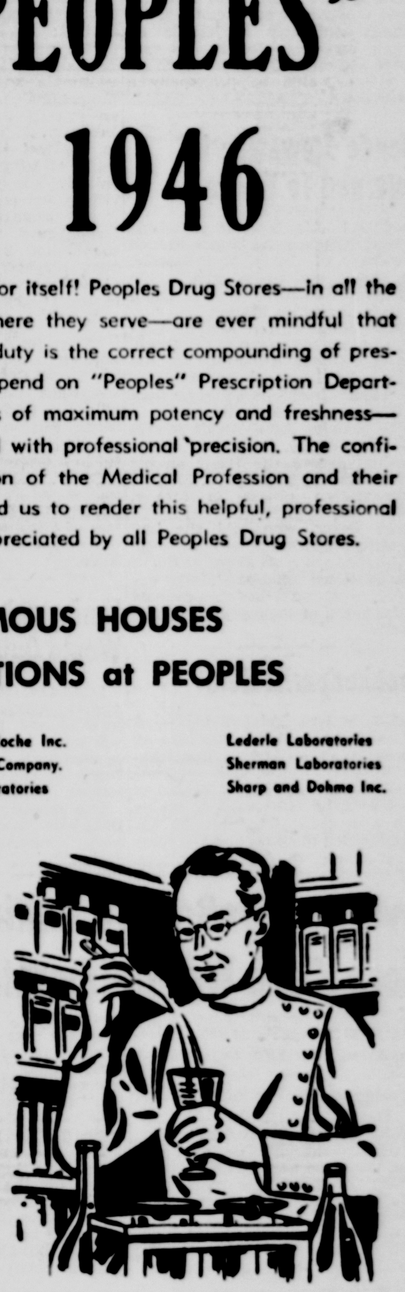

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**The Roaring '40's**

Two days after Lucky Luciano boarded the boat for Italy this column (for Feb. 12, 1946) stated: "Broadway believe that Lucky Luciano, currently being deported to Italy, will wind up in Brazil or Cuba, where he has more friends than in Mexico." . . . The present uproar revives the rumor that the mobster flew here from Cuba last September, conferred with pals, then returned to his Havana hideout. . . . Some Republican politicians—reaching pretty far—see Washington's sudden action against Luciano as a long-range political move to embarrass the Presidential possibilities of Gov. Dewey, who paroled Lucky after he had served less than one-third of his 30-to-50-year sentence. . . . It may have some bearing on the "Black-Douglas" feud that is brewing in the Department of Justice and the shift in personnel that is going on behind the scenes in the Federal Bureau of Investigation. . . . By phone from the capital: "Vandenberg will positively oppose Taft by coming out for Lilienthal and throwing his weight against the budget slash." Vandenberg's principal interest just now, they say, is to stymie Taft's chances for getting the 1948 G. O. P. nomination, which he (Vandenberg) doesn't want himself.

Clinton Anderson

Former Postmaster Generals Jim Farley and Frank Walker to be quizzed by the U. S. Senate on the inner workings of the Post Office Department. . . . Senator Tobey's announced move to investigate the Reconstruction Finance Corporation forecast here last November 4. . . . The Howard Hughes-Jack Frye (TWA) rift reported here twice, December 13 and February 5. . . . The Civil Aeronautics Administration investigating possibility that some recent plane crashes due to deliberate sabotage. . . . New York police checking an angle on the recent taxicab rape-robbery of a "Street Scene" singer; why the driver of the stolen cab had gone into a building to collect his fare, leaving the motor running. Suspect a "plant" job. . . . Small laundrymen applying for gun permits because of the recent epidemic of holdups and killings. . . . Harry Thaw's death revives the story, among certain Broadway circles, of how a present nit club owner aided in his escape from Matteawan. . . . Some 14,000 federal employes in the U. S. to be dropped within the next four months.

Louise Macy Hopkins (Harry Hopkins' widow) being importuned to enter politics, probably as a congressinonal candidate. . . . Mayor Kelly of Chicago to head a drive for a Roosevelt (F.D.R.) Memorial. . . . International circles hear that the Maxim Litvinoffs are preparing news of a domestic nature; also that Marlene Dietrich and her husband, Rudolph Sieber, both now abroad, will get a European divorce after all these years. . . . Ilona Massey's mother due in New York next month to attend her actress daughter's wedding to an Army officer. . . . Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson to tour Europe shortly to double check on Herbert Hoover's findings on the food situation. AGVA (AFL) over the national director's "dictatorial" attempts to dissolve local chapters in key cities and operate the arganization from New York headquarters. . . . The health of a noted [illegible] leader (not John L. Lewis) has his friends and followers worried.

One of Tommy Manville's exwives giving much concern to admirers. . . . The "inside story" on why Louis B. Mayer sold his stables is a Hollywood classic. . . . Mae West quite sure that her big time screen comeback will be accomplished if they let her remake "She Done Him Wrong" in Technicolor. Ann Sothern's "Mazie" slated to go off the air. . . . Lionel Barrymore has with no fanfare written a play for sister Ethel based on a famous Chinese Dowager Empress. Wants Chinese movie star Keye Luke, currently of the "Dr. Gillespie" screen series (who just opened in New York at the China Doll night club) for a lead role. . . . A top drawer British producer so desperate for American movie stars that he's tempting them with contracts with a write-your-own-ticket salary clause.


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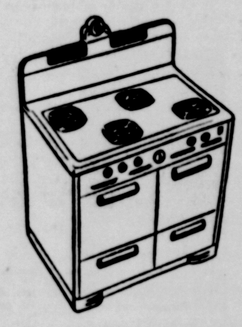

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## Great Britain's Belt To Be Pulled Tighter

Never in peacetime and seldom in wartime have the people of any great nation received the grim warning which Prime Minister Attlee has given the men and women of England. They must work harder and for longer hours. They must do without more of the necessities of life. They must forego some of the leisure to which they may think they are entitled after a long struggle against a foreign foe.

Failure to follow this course, says Mr. Attlee, might mean that "we never would restore the foundations of our national life." Even as it is and assuming that all these things are done, the country will not attain in 1947 the export goal which it needs to maintain a normal standard of living for its people.

The specific steps which the labor government is about to take have for one of its purposes a vastly increased production of all necessary commodities. Pursuing this objective, miners will be exempted from military service for five years and 35,000 new miners will be recruited. Nearly half a million men will be released by the armed services and added to the labor force.

Foreign laborers will be brought in and a campaign undertaken to attract housewives to the factories. Veteran workers of retirement age will be asked to stay on the job. For all of whatever age and condition, a certain amount of rationing will continue.

These are not the things the labor government promised the workers when its candidates ran for office. But it is now evident to the world that Britain has made no economic progress since the Attlee regime took over.

## Communist-Controlled Rumania Gets U. S. Help

Famine and disease are spreading in Rumania. Famine threatens death to tens of thousands of people, according to reports. Rumanian officials have been making special efforts to get foreign emergency assistance.

Rumania, which looks to Moscow for political leadership, has been looking to Moscow for aid in the food crisis. It has not been forthcoming. Russia is having her troubles with short food supplies.

Rumania, which does not look to Washington for political leadership, has looked to Washington for aid in the food crisis, and not in vain.

President Truman has ordered 7,000 tons of food now on the way to U. S. Army posts overseas to be diverted to Rumania to be distributed under Red Cross auspices. There is no charge. The only stipulation is that the food must be distributed "with guarantees against discrimination on political, racial, religious or social grounds," whatever that would be.

This food is a gift from the American people to help prevent starvation in a country recently in arms as an axis satellite and now uneasily at peace under communist control.

Americans have given proof that they will fight famine as an enemy of mankind and not on political grounds. It is too much to hope that this gift from the American taxpayers to Rumania will be received as some slight evidence that humanity and democracy are not unknown even to what the communist propagandists would call such a colossus of capitalism and imperialism as the United States.

## Car Shortage To Throw New Brake On Industries

A critical shortage of freight cars threatens to throw a new brake on United States industrial reconversion, which finally has been getting under way full steam after an exasperatingly slow start. Among those to feel first effects is the newsprint industry, which is faced with a curtailment of deliveries from Canada, source of 80 percent of its supply, for at least a month. And American newspaper publishers, already in short supply, face even more drastic cuts.

The freight car shortage, says Railway Age, "is due to a single cause, namely an inadequate supply of steel. Not only are insufficient freight cars being built but the current supply of materials is inadequate to keep at a minimum the number of cars out of service awaiting repairs." The railroads blame the steel industry and ask more "considerate" treatment in allocation. Their competitors, they say, are getting more steel than they ever did before.

Transportation is a raw material which is just as important as steel, and railroad transportation is far and away still the most importnt from the industrial viewpoint. The steel industry should recognize that its own well-being is linked to the problem of providing the railroads with the wherewithal to build enough freight cars.

## Lenten Meditations

The Christian world has turned, as of the ages, to another 40 days in which the supreme drama of its faith is unfolded. And its peoples, in America as in other lands, in order to appreciate the sacred significance of the Lenten season and its climax of Holy Week, are preparing themselves through thought and prayer.

Contrition, abnegation and humility, in the deeper participation in the Way of the Cross, never were more needed by God's children than in the sorely-troubled world of today.

## Red Synonyms

Gerhard Eisler testified under oath at an immigration hearing in 1941 that he was not a Communist, and insisted he was in sympathy with the Communist movement.

When he was arrested as an undercover agent of the Communist Internationale, his principle defender, The New York Daily Worker, described him as a "German anti-Fascist."

One day last week Mr. Eisler admitted he was a Communist. He also identified himself as an "anti-Fascist," so the two terms can be regarded as synonymous in the Communist lexicon. He did not admit he was a liar, but that was in the record anyway.

Chicago paper refers to a high-ranking general as a jackass. What probably burns the old boy up is that he has discovered, to his dismay, that he cannot courtmartial the editor.

# HOW TO KEEP WELL

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

***To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made, under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is inclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases.***

**NEARSIGHTED VISION**

WHENEVER the subject of myopia (nearsightedness) is brought up in conversation, some one is likely to volunteer the information that it always occurs in the intelligentsia. The typical example is the small boy with specs who sits at home and reads so much that he warrants the title of "bookworm."

Statistics show that this is not so, but there is a good reason why the myth has been established. Myopia may develop early in life but is often not noticeable until the youngster goes to school. Since the victim is able to see only close objects, his world is confined to toys, pictures, or reading, and he has no yen to go sight-seeing, play ball, or indulge in hide-and-seek. It is little wonder that such children become studious, not by choice but necessity. They are not perturbed inasmuch as many take defective vision for granted and assume that every one is afflicted similarly.

As the youngster grows older and mingles more and more with classmates who have better eyesight, the handicap begins to manifest itself and he gradually becomes aware of his plight. With properly fitted glasses a new world is opened, but by this time the lad has acquired the habit of reading and studying and is likely to continue.

Medical books are filled with possible causes, but actually no one has ever supplied the exact answer. Many have elongated eyeballs which were inherited in the same manner as curly hair, large ears, or a size 7½ hat. As a result, the rays which enter the eyes focus in front of the retina and images close by are the only ones that are seen perfectly and without blurring.

There is no way to prevent or cure the condition as we have no more means of controling the growth of the eye than we do any other part of the body. Usually the disorder becomes worse until development reaches its maximum. This is variable and in some extends to the 25th year. The amount of impairment likewise varies and may be slight or extreme. To compensate, spectacles are worn, but they should be rechecked every year or two.

Few if any symptoms are present. Vision for distance is indistinct, but reading and sewing are accomplished in comfort. If Myopia is associated with astigmatism, a certain degree of eye discomfort appears when close work is undertaken for any length of time. The individual may complain of tired eyes, sensitivity to light, or spots. Others blink frequently or screw the eyelids together whenever peering into the distance.

It is a moot question as to whether anything can be done to retard this progressive tendency or make it worse. Many eye physicians believe that the abnormality does not advance as rapidly if excessive near work is avoided. Plenty of sleep and out of door exercise is recommended and all the rules of health should be adhered to rigidly. When studying is contemplated the light must be adequate and large print is preferred. A prolonged stay in the country is sometimes helpful. If a sightsaving class is available, where conditions for reading, writing, and other detailed tasks are ideal and skilled supervision is given the parents may wish to enroll the child.

**NERVE PARALYSIS**

C. A. writes: Can myasthenia affect only the eyes?

**REPLY**

No. The disease has a predilection for the muscles of the eyes, face, lip, tongue, throat, and neck. No matter where it starts, progressive weakness usually occurs.

# Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

**Strange Voyage Of Words**

It is strange how words will fly when given adequate wings! There are thoughts, uttered or written thousands of years ago, that keep traveling—flying and settling all over this earth, in people's minds and hearts in books, in mottoes, and cut in bronze and marble.

Over public buildings you read these words ,on statues, and often you find them in the strangest of places—and people paying attention to them. Thinking about them, and often treasuring them in their memory. There are sentences and poems that I read in my youth that I committed to memory, and which stay with me, and often I, too, give them errands to run! As so many do.

What a multitude of wise and inspiring sayings travel under no other authorship than merely "Author unknown" or "Anonymous." And in what strange places we find great books! I once read of a woman who went to Arizona for her health. She was very lonely, but one day she stepped into a bookshop and there on the table was Kenneth Grahame's "Wind and the Willows." It was one of her favorite books, but seeing it out there gave her a wonderful lift—like meeting an old friend. Books are like that.

Quotations from Shakespeare, the Bible, Don Quixote, Emerson's essays, Thoreau, and endless other great books, leave their original nests and fly to all parts of the world, and take lodging in millions of minds. How strange is this continual voyage of worlds! Many an interested reader has been led to the original nests of these words just from a mere quotation.

We never know where anything that we write or say is going to find lodging. How often, in traveling, I meet people who take from their pocket some saying that they have treasured! In my own pocket such items are always to be found—many worn and frayed. Yet treasured just the same.

Words are the architectural tools of the mind, but in the soul of a poet they become both brush and paint, leaving to all present life, and to posterity, undying masterpieces of beauty, fadeless and eternal.

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## DEMONSTRATING THE NEW MODEL FOR PROSPECTIVE CUSTOMER

# The Washington Merry-Go-Round

## Dewey Takes Notable Step In Battle Against Tuberculosis; Rankin Disparages G. O. P. "Accomplishments"; Legal Crackdown Due For Building Violations

Says DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Many states of the United States require every dairy cow within their borders to be tested for tuberculosis once a year. Governor Tom Dewey has now taken the revolutionary step of elevating human beings to the same level as cows.

From now on, every man, woman and child in New York State not only will get a tuberculosis test but also will find state hospitals available for their care if necessary.

At a time when Republicans in Congress are pinching the federal budget even to the extent of wiping out the school milk program, the Republican governor of New York has quadrupled his health budget in order to battle tuberculosis.

He is also coordinating New York hospitals so that certain institutions in healthy counties such as Herkimer, which are virtually empty, will be taken over by the state. This will prevent the construction of more hospitals at a time when building materials are critical and their use would interfere with veterans' housing.

Note—Worst tuberculosis patch in New York state is among the Negro population of Harlem. Migration from the warm south, plus crowded living conditions has made Harlem one of the worst T. B. areas in the U.S.A.

**Rankin in Reverse**

During the long years under Roosevelt, the best friend and ally of minority Republicans in the House of Representatives was rootin'-tootin' Congressman John Rankin of Mississippi. His barbs at his fellow Democrats always brought howls of laughter and rounds of applause from the Republicans across the aisle. They continually goaded the pint-sized Mississippian into more harangues.

Now that the Republicans are in the saddle, however, things are different. Rankin isn't the ally he used to be. In fact, he's almost more critical of the Republicans than of the northern Democrats. Talking in the House cloakroom the other day, the gentleman from Mississippi opined:

**"In nearly one month the great and glorious GOP senate, the Senate which was going to do everything, has to its credit three major accomplishments: Unanimous confirmation of two Democrats — George Marshall and Fanny Perkins — to high posts, and the granting of a 60-day vacation with pay to Bilbo.**

"Let's see, there are 51 Republican senators, and if we multiply that number by $1,250, monthly salary of a member, we get the grand total of $65,650—about $21,250 per 'accomplishment.'"

**Bob Allen's New Book**

Bob Allen, who used to do a job on Washington via this column, today brings out a job on the cities of the U.S.A. His new book, "Our Fair City," does to the sprawling hodgepodges of bossism and bizarre architecture which we call cities what Lincoln Steffens did on the same subject twenty years ago.

**Bob has corralled a stable of newsmen all the way from Boston to Butte, and under his editorial direction, they have dissected the bosses that run the cities, the newspapers that tolerate and sometimes conspire with the bosses, the red-light districts that pay tribute to the bosses—and so on down the line.**

The book makes you realize that while we throw stones at Governments in foreign countries we could do a little stone throwing right here at home.

**Vets Housing Crackdown**

**Home builders who have been defying federal regulations on veterans' housing had better start consulting their lawyers.**

Certain builders in the Denver and Cleveland areas are being haled into court to show why they have failed to file sales reports on housing begun before controls were lifted last December 24. This housing, numbering more than 350,000 units, still is affected by price controls and veterans' priorities.

Furthermore, the Denver and Cleveland cases are only curtain raisers to the nation-wide crackdown on builders, who are still required to file the sales reports with the OPA (now a part of the office of temporary controls). OPA compliance officers have evidence that there have been widespread violations, with the result that many vets have been gypped.

Legal action was decided on at a confidential meeting of housing administration and OPA officials with representatives of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Veterans Committee and the Amvets. However, it required some two-fisted prompting by the Vet spokesman to get John Sink, Housing Expediter Frank Creedon's representative to agree to the crackdown.

"I don't think it is a good policy to bring action against the builders at this time, when we have to keep everybody on the ball producing homes," objected Sink. "It may cause a lot of trouble and only serve to alienate the builders."

**"Well, it's one thing or the other," declared Wesley Pearce of the VFW. "You're either going to have compliance or you're not going to have it. You can't enforce compliance without hurting somebody. If a builder is chiseling or defying the law he ought to be hurt.**

"The only way to stop violations is to clamp down and get criminal convictions."

**Andrew Newman of the AVC and Allen Solada of the Amvets strongly seconded this view. So did the OPA spokesman. Finally, Sink gave in when the vet trio promised to get their organizations solidly behind the compliance drive.**

**Capital Chaff**

The Bilbo boys continue to be worried sick over the indictment of ex-Congressman Andy May and his Garsson associates. Various war contractors who kicked in to Bilbo's campaign bombarded "The Man" in the hospital urging him to withdraw from the Senate altogether . . . . Correction—Since the Federal Trade Commission made its 1937 report on newsprint, the St. Paul newspapers have sold their interest in pulp mills and are no longer in the newsprint business . . . . Speaking of current shortages in the House stationery room, there was a day when several typewriters were stolen from the stationery room and brazenly taken out the main entrance of the Capitol. When investigators questioned a young capitol guard as to what he was doing when the typewriters disappeared, he replied: "Oh, I'm kept very busy in my spare time, studying. I want to be a G-man." . . . Col. Jay Cooke, Philadelphia banker and former GOP chairman, who is accompanying Harold Stassen to Europe, wants to be secretary of the treasury if and when Stassen gets in the White House . . . . the new Democratic political deal means that Bob Hannegan and No. 1 brain truster Clark Clifford are working in double-harness and that Hannegan again will have the chance to pass on Truman appointments.

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# Great Britain's Crisis May Have Far-Reaching Effects In World

By SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL

Britain's crisis may have far-reaching effects throughout the world. Part of her difficulty is a shortage of manpower. Before the war, she had around 100,000 of her young men in foreign service—now, around 1,000,000. This makes her short a half million men or more who are not producing coal and other British necessities.

Will Britain decide to reduce her far-flung commitments so she can bring her young men home? She has pulled out of Egypt. She has offered self-government to India. She is tired of taxing herself to police and feed Germans. "Reparations to the losers" has a sour sound on the the home front.

She wants to turn Palestine over to the United Nations which would, perhaps, put American soldiers right in the middle of the Jewish-Arab dispute!

The war destroyed her balance of power policy in Europe (and Asia). This had kept the sun from setting on the Union Jack without large forces of her own in foreign lands. If Britain now reduces her overseas forces, it will increase the load on us. It will be used by those who demand military conscription in peacetime America.

**Marshall Has Grounds**

Is it any wonder that Secretary of State Marshall says that "the world is in a critical situation"?

Will Britain's domestic crisis—which cannot soon be cured—soften her policy toward Russia? Britain must "export or die." She must exchange her own production for food from abroad. The Attlee Socialist government wanted to boost 1946 exports 175% over 1938. Last year her exports fell below 1938! Before the war, coal was her fourth largest export—to Italy, Sweden, even to Canada. Now she isn't mining enough coal to supply her needs at home. Britain is up against the gun.

Relief from bad weather won't solve her ills. They are chronic. British miners have stupidly fought machinery in mines on the ground that it would cause unemployment. Excessive taxes under her "social welfare" program and class warfare have made British mining a monument of inefficiency.

According to John L. Lewis, the British coal miner, with hand tools, digs one ton of coal a day. The American miner, with machines, mines six tons a day. With all his faults, Mr. Lewis has never opposed the mechanization of American mines. As a result, our miners get three times the wage, and our consumers buy at one-third the cost at the pit head as compared with British coal. Mr. Lewis knows that high wages can be paid only out of high production. Would that some other labor leaders knew as much!

**Inducement Small**

With a weekly wage of $19.75, and taxes of all sorts of this beautiful "social welfare," the inducement is mighty small for a young Briton to do dangerous work underground. So the mines are short of men. And the British Empire is reeling all over the globe.

If taxes don't permit men to save, they choose the easy job. It is soft-headed thinking that Britain's socialist program of "austerity" will get men to produce more for a smaller "take home." They will take the dole instead, as long as it lasts!

Americans are blind, indeed, who do not see in Britain's crisis a red light on the present American road toward the socialization of industry, crushing taxation, strangling bureaucracy, penalties for working, and rewards for loafing.

# NEWSgrams

Natural gas as a fuel was first used in the United States in the Pittsburgh district of Pennsylvania about 1882. It was used for heat and power both for domestic and industrial purposes.

The thickness of the lens of the human eye changes only about .02 of an inch in changing size for near and far vision.

# Opponents Of Budget Cut Take Refuge Behind Military Issue

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25. — Although the Senate and House may put an over-all ceiling on budget expenditures, the question of how much real cutting will be done in every category of expense probably will remain undecided until the present session of Congress has gone through all the appropriations.

Already the assumption that the military and naval expenditures will be reduced drastically has stirred up considerable controversy. Many of those members of Congress who do not want to see much budget cutting, because they want to continue the era of spending, are taking refuge behind the military security issue. The country is being warned that this or that size of budget means a threat to national security.

Despite all this talk about the cutting of the Army and Navy, no over-all examination of the expenditures required for defense has as yet been made by Congress itself. To the extent that members begin to familiarize themselves with the items desired by the Army or Navy, as the case may be, expressions of protest are heard concerning the cutting of the over-all budget.

It is most unfortunate that a Council of National Defense such as the Navy proposed some time ago is not in existence. Certainly such a Council, far from expressing an opinion on how the budget should be cut or even how much be spent in a lump sum, should state just what the defense problems of the United States may be.

Until the nation understands what the Army and Navy and the Air Forces are expected to do by way of defending the security of the United States, it appears useless to talk about individual items of any size in the budget.

**Usual Outcry On Capitol Hill**

The usual outcry against any form of cutting of the military budgets is being heard on Capitol Hill. This is only serving to stiffen resistance on the part of many members of Congress to pleas for the retention of large expenditures.

The Army and Navy have never been told by the Department of State what their potential war mission is expected to be. Until this is clearly defined, it will be difficult to turn down the demands of Congress for economy and the result will be much more drastic cutting of military and naval budgets than otherwise would be the case.

At the moment, most of the discussion is theoretical. It is based on fighting World War II over again. Notwithstanding the introduction of the atomic bomb, requests for the purchases of materials for the continued production of obsolete weapons are being regularly approved. It is true that no military establishment can afford to stand still, but it is also true that when Congress begins to find out how much money is being spent currently for munitions that will never be fired, there will be a tendency to cut deeper than the military men have reckoned.

The question of how big the Army or Navy or Air Forces should be is not to be decided by fixing a lump sum and asking the services to split it three ways between them or by allocating amounts to each if they fail to agree. National defense would not be assured that way.

**Fixing Of Policy Needed**

What is needed is the fixing of a definite policy for the fighting of the theoretical war. Everybody knows that this is the real task of the war and navy departments in all countries in time of peace. The public may misconstrue this as indicating a belief that war is inevitable. Nothing could be more absurd than to relate preparations at this time with any predictions of war.

The problem is now, as it always has been, to select a theoretical enemy power and plan America's defense against possible attact from such a power. Whatever is needed to fight such a war constitutes the extent of an American preparedness program, and, if this were brought out into the open, the people would sanction the expenditures. Much misunderstanding arises from the fact that War and Navy Departments are supposed to prepare for any eventuality and yet they are supposed to hide the fact that they are preparing for specific eventualities.

Today the case for open preparation is clearer because it will be the United Nations or a grouping of those countries in the U. N. which will carry on the next war. It seems unlikely that the United States would allow herself to be placed in the position of preparing for war without realizing that in such a contingency the other members of the U. N. would go along with the United States.

To support the U.N., therefore, it is necessary that the United States assume that a combination of armies and navies will be needed to repress any power which seeks aggression.

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I haven't had a vacation since 1940. Tomorrow I start on a long one—a whole week.

This afternoon, a friend asked whether I was going to do any deep-sea fishing while in Florida. I had to go and lie down for two hours, just thinking of it.

I'm not interested in fish unless it has a sprig of parsley alongside it and a piece of lemon in its mouth. I'm equally allergic to boats. That includes those little trick ships you see in glass bottles. I'm second cousin to the fellow who arranged to be fanned with a herring when the doctor prescribed salt air.

Jimmy Durante included Ben Hecht, Gene Fowler and the Great Jimmy Durante.

And for good reasons.

About ten years ago, I spent a summer on Fire Island. One weekend, my guests Ben Hecht, who is almost as good with a rod as with a typewriter, said, "Let's go out tomorrow for some fish."

"Terrific," enthused Schnozzola, "Dey got good smoked sturgeon at Lindy's."

Five-thirty the next morning, we headed for the pier. I noticed Durante smacking every tree he passed. "When I'm awake," he explained, "no boid sleeps!"

We chartered a boat and tackle from a blood relative of Captain Kidd. Hecht and Fowler clambered on board. Jimmy and I followed—that was our first mistake.

Ben elected himself captain and took the wheel. "I know every sand bar in the bay," he told us. A hundred feet off shore, we hit something. "That was one of them," cracked Ben.

Fowler, who knew how to bait a hook without laying open his thumb, took care of the tackle.

Durante fished a deck of cards out of his pocket and the two of us started a game of nickel casino. A mile out, I began to lose interest in the cards. Maybe it was the four seasickness remedies I had taken. I looked at Jimmy's famous nose. It had turned a delicate shade of chartreuse.

"Can I get you anything?" I asked him.

"Yeah, an island," moaned the Great Man.

Three miles out ,the boat began going a buck-and-wing. "What do we do if it springs a leak?" I wondered out loud.

"Dey puts a pan unner it," said Durante.

Fowler asked me if I wanted to cut up some clams for bait. I shook my head. Then I stopped—but my head kept on shaking. I lay down in the bottom of the boat. Jimmy joined me.

Fowler looked up from the bait cans. "Don't worry about it," he said. "Nobody ever died from seasickness."

"Don't say dat," croaked Jimmy. "Oney da hope a' dyin' is keepin' me alive."

We putt-putted along until I figured we were off the coast of France. Then the dropped anchor and the boys began to fish. An hour later, the score was: fishermen, 0; fish, 2 cans of bait.

Durante looked up long enough to say, "If dey're bitin' today, dey mus be bitin' each udder."

Fowler pulled up the anchor. "There's an old wreck about a mile from here," he said. "The fish are so thick there you can walk on the water."

Again we putt-putted and again we stopped. "Time to eat," boomed Hecht. He had brought along a crate of delicatessen. He and Gene went to work on a liverwurst which looked like a policeman's club. Durante paled. I closed my eyes. When I opened them, Fowler was woifing down a dill pickle. I closed them again.

"Look, there's the Aquitania!" yelled Ben.

"Call me when ya see a bus," gasped Durante.

After lunch, the boys started fishing again. That's what they called it. Bait-drowning would be more accurate. Late in the afternoon, Jimmy and I got steady enough to take rods.

"Get in dere an' fight," Durante told his bait as dropped it in the water. A second later he screeched, "I gotta bite!" He cranked away as if he had Moby Dick on the line. He brought up a little fish and kept on reeling until it was at the tip of his pole. "What do I do now?" he hollered.

Fowler looked thoughtful. "You might climb up the rod and strangle it to death," he suggested.

The fish flopped itself off the hook and dropped back in.

Izaak Walton Hecht was disgusted. "Where did you learn to fish?" he sneered.

"Venice," said Durante, "where dey fish outa da windows."

"There's nothing around here," said Fowler, an hour later. "Let's go out further and try for sharks."

"WHY?" I screamed.

Nobody could think of an answer, so we headed back. When we got to the pier, Durante knelt and kissed the planks.

On the way home, we stopped at a fish store. Jimmy bought six flouders. Then he asked the proprietor to throw them at him, one at a time. "What's the big idea?" I asked him.

"I promised my wife I'd catch her some fish," smiled Schnozzola, "an' I don't believe in lyin' to da missus."

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# It Says Here

By BOB HOPE

The Army Airforce and the weather bureau are joining in a project to control the weather. They want to eliminate uncertainty on the part of motorists. The bureau could then make sure it would rain every time you got your car washed.

Then those easterners could enjoy the same wonderful weather we have here in California. Imagine sticking your hand out the window and breaking off a sun-tanned icicle.

And just picture palm trees growing on Broadway. The play critics wouldn't have to pan shows. They could climb the trees and drop coconuts on the heads of the actors as they walked out the stage door.

January in July. What variety it would add to life. On the fourth of July instead of getting hit by one of those holiday drivers you could slip on an icy sidewalk and break your neck.

How could the air force control the weather? Suppose that the people of Los Angeles asked for a white Christmas, they'd load a bunch of cows on a transport and fly them over the city while they were doing the rumba.

They hope to control the weather by shooting certain chemicals into the stratosphere. Wouldn't it be swell on picnics? You could shoot malts and hops into the sky and it would rain beer.

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# Advice To The Lovelorn

## Older Sister Sees Younger One Distressed And Wants To Do What She Can

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Famous Authority on Problems of Love and Marriage

When anyone asks me how he can help someone else solve an emotional problem, I am apt to warn against meddling in other people's affairs of the heart—or, for that matter, anyone else's business of any kind.

It is a little different, however, when an older sister sees a younger one distressed about something, and naturally wants to do what she can.

Here is the problem of one such sister, who, at 21, is happily married herself and anxious to make certain that her younger sister will be as happy as she.

She writes:

"Dear Miss Fairfax:

"My husband and I are at present living with my family and we are concerned about my younger sister, 18, who seems to be having trouble in her love life. She confides in me and I would like very much to be able to help her, so I have turned to you.

"My sister is very much in love with a fellow of 21. He seems to be a gentleman and full of fun, and apparently loves my sister as much as she loves him. My sister says that at times she feels she will lose him. When she gets these feelings, she doesn't eat and she stays up late thinking and talking about it. She says it is nothing that he says or does that makes her feel this way, but he is usually gay and there are times when he becomes very serious-minded and thinks a lot before he says anything. It is then, she says, that she feels so distant from him.

"The only explanation she can figure out to cause these spells of coldness, is her friends. They are not bad girls, but they give the impression of being rowdy and flirtatious because of the way they carry on. It seems that when this boy meets my sister's friends, he takes her for their type and seems to change for a while and then gets over it.

"I suggested to my sister that she associate with a different, more quiet set of girls and not give this fellow the wrong impression of her. She has not heeded my advice as yet.

"Would you please make a suggestion as to how my sister can convince this boy of her true nature and her real love for him? My husband and I both feel that it would be a shame if these two separated because there do not seem to be very many boys like this one left today.

"C. S."

I am sure, "C. S." that you must have heard the old saying that "A man is known by the company he keeps." And that goes just as much for a girl. If your sister is not the "rowdy and flirtatious" type, what is she doing going around with such girls? And how could you expect her boy friend to guess that she is a girl who prefers refined and cultured companions, if she chooses the other kind? That doesn't make sense.

Moreover, you say you have suggested to your sister that she choose companions of a different sort and that she has paid no attention to you. If she were truly anxious to show her boy friend that she is a worth-while type of girl, one would certainly think that she would not only follow your suggestion but would have thought of it herself some time ago. Her failure to do either makes me wonder if she is as anxious to impress this boy as you think. Most girls who are eager to stand in well with a boy will do everything possible to make themselves appear in a favorable light. Yet your sister keeps right on doing something that places her in an unfavorable one.

Another thing—why doesn't your sister ask this boy if he disapproves of her companions, if she thinks that is the reason for his "spells of coldness?" That seems to me only sensible.

I think you had better tell your sister that she would be wise to make up her mind what sort of friends she wants. If she prefers the "rowdy and flirtatious" sort, she had better give up any idea of attracting the sounder characters like this boy. And if, on the other hand, she believes the more solid type of citizen makes a more worthwhile companion, let her prove it. She'll never get anywhere, with this boy or any one, until she makes a choice and stays with it.

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## QUICKIES

By KEN REYNOLDS

"Just as soon as I finish reading the Times-News Want Ads please!"

# Fellowship Of Prayer

## Daily Lenten Devotional

Prepared by

DR. VERE V. LOPER

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### WIDE VISTAS

Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. Mark 16:15. Read Revelation 21:1-7.

The Bible begins its story in vast areas of time and space with God at work creating his universe. It reaches its conclusion on the same cosmic note, "I saw a new heaven and a new earth." Jesus was at home in these wide vistas. He dealt with a modest circle of men but envisaged the day when all men would be drawn to his cause. Because he belonged to the ages, he could wait as his victory beyond the grave unfolded its full consequences. He belonged to a small, ancient people, but he sent his followers in all the world to every creature.

Unless our thoughts can catch the sweep of his vision, much will escape us. We must "dip into the future, far as human eye" can see. We must catch not only one glimpse of the Promised Land but lift our heads daily from our task of the moment to the dream of millenniums. Each new discovery in the present universe, each aspiration for the loftier race, each moment when wider skies break on our view, bring us closer to him who died for generations yet unborn and for peoples of whom he never heard.

**Let Us Pray:** O God, who art the beginning and the end, bring forth into the large places of thy thought so that far horizons may be the backdrop of our daily endeavors. Help us to live in heaven each day. Extend thy tender care to our beloved dead who dwell with thee in eternity. Amen.

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# Mrs. J. Gordon Mitchell Heads Local Girl Scouts

## Mrs. Seymour Resigns To Reside In N. J.

Mrs. J. Gordon Mitchell has been appointed Commissioner of the Girl Scouts of Cumberland to replace Mrs. G. Wilbur Seymour, whose resignation will be effective March 1, it was announced last night by Mrs. Althea N. Correll, executive secretary of the local Girl Scouts.

Mrs. Mitchell has been active in local Girl Scouting for the past four years. She first served on the public relations committee and later served as a member of the council and as chairman of the program committee. Under her direction, the programs of the organization have been profitable and progressive, a scout executive said.

Mrs. Seymour, who resigned due to the fact that she is leaving Cumberland to reside in New Jersey, began her career in Girl Scouting as a troop committee woman of the Johnson Heights school troop in 1932. She later served as leader of the West Side School Brownie troop and since then has been active on several of the standing Scout committees. Prior to accepting the position of commissioner, Mrs. Seymour served as treasurer of the council and as deputy commissioner. She became commissioner in February 1946, upon the resignation of Mrs. Joseph Williams.

During the past year a record number of troop leaders have been secured for Brownie, Intermediate and Senior troops. Also, for the first time in a number of years the council has a full capacity of standing committees.

Members of the council are making plans for a luncheon to be held honoring Mrs. Seymour and Mrs Mitchell early next month at the Cumberland Country Club.


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# Potentate's Ball, Reception To Be Held Tomorrow

Ali Ghan Temple will hold its annual ball honoring the Potentate and his Divan, tomorrow night at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club, with Harold C. Wickard serving as toastmaster.

The reception will be held at 6:30 and will be followed by a banquet at 6:45, at which time the Potentate will address the group.

Receiving guests with Leslie K. Spielman, Hagerstown, potentate, will be Mrs. Spielman, Mr. and Mrs. Wickard, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan C. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. C. Morris DeLauder, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flurshutz, Mr. and Mrs. William M Englehart, and Mr. and Mrs. William P. Rizer, members of the Divan and their wives.

Dancing will conclude the evening, with music by the Aristocrats from 9 until midnight. Approximately 300 guests are expected to attend.

# Allegany Hospital Aid Plans Rummage Sale

The Ladies Aid Society of Allegany Hospital formulated plans for a rummage sale at the meeting yesterday at the hospital. The sale will be held at 1 o'clock, March 1, at 119 North Centre street with Mrs. George Lyming and Mrs. A. H. Bennett as co-chairmen.

The group also decided to discontinue the social hour during Lent. Sewing on hospital supplies was the principal part of the meeting.





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# Allegany Hospital Senior Nurses Have Dinner Party

Members of the Allegany Hospital Senior September Class held a final get-together in the form of a dinner party last night at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club prior to graduation as several of the girls are leaving Friday for their senior cadet period at veteran hospitals.

Class colors of blue and white were carried out in the flowers and candles.

Miss Wilda Ann Phillips, Miss Lois Kaese and Miss Rose Margaret Rice will complete their duties at Perry Point; and Miss Jean Rice, at Gallinger Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Others present were Miss Frances Arthur, Miss Ruby Bonner, Miss Betty Carter, Miss Mary Carmel Flook, Miss Winnie Griffin, Miss Frances Hill, Miss Doris Lee Huffman, Miss Alberta Ley, Miss Polly McDermott, Miss Bessie McKenzie, Miss Bernidette McKenzie, Miss Virginia Shaffer, Miss Rose Marie Stakem, Miss Catherine Stakem, Miss Loraine Pratt, Miss Betty Poorbaugh, Miss Mariam Miller, Miss Phyllis Valentine, Miss Doris Swarner and Miss Carmila Guarino, instructor of the class.

# Mr., Mrs. Purinton Will Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Earl Purinton will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary, March 3, and will be at home, informally, to their friends, Sunday, at their residence, 55 Oak street.

The former Miss Agnes Patton became the bride of Earl Purinton, Cumberland, son of the late Frank and Florence Purinton, Keyser, W. Va., March 3, 1897, at the home of her parents in Grafton, W. Va.

Following the ceremony Mr. Purinton brought his bride to Cumberland, where they have resided ever since. They are parents of three children, Russell Purinton, at home; Earl Purinton, Keyser; and Mrs. Florence Lamp, Buck Valley, Pa.

A conductor on the Third division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, Mr. Purinton's run was from Cumberland to Grafton. He retired about eight years ago. His hobby is gardening and raising strawberries on his farm in Buck Valley, where he spends his summers. He is a member of the B. and O. Veterans and both Mr. and Mrs. Purinton are members of the Trinity Methodist Church.

Mrs. Purinton's hobby is her home, with which she is too busy for outside activities.

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**WED IN GEORGIA**—Mr. and Mrs. William G. Kroll are shown in the above picture in Glenn Memorial Chapel, Atlanta, Ga., following their wedding. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fortson, Atlanta; and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kroll, Gilmore.

# William G. Kroll Weds Miss Willie G. Fortson

## Ceremony Performed In Atlanta Chapel

Amid a setting of gladoli, ferns and candelabra, Miss Willie Fortson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fortson, Atlanta, Ga., became the bride of William G. Kroll, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kroll, Gilmore.

The ceremony was performed January 31, in the Glenn Memorial Chapel, Atlanta, Ga., with Rev. Mr. Newton, officiating. Miss Louise Fortson was her sister's maid of honor; William Stott, brother-in-law of the bride, served as best man and the ushers were William Fortson and Roy Gallinger, brother and brother-in-law of the bride.

A program of nuptial music was presented by George Davis, and included "I Love You Truly," and "Because," accompanied by Miss Bane Smith at the organ.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a powder blue suit, with which she wore navy accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of orchids. Her maid of honor wore a light green suit, with brown accessories and a corsage of Talisman rosebuds.

Mrs. Fortson chose a grey crepe with black accessories for her daughter's wedding. With it she wore a corsage of pink rosebuds.

The bride is a graduate of Commercial High School, Atlanta, and was employed in the district office of F. W. Woolworth. The bridegroom is a veteran of about three years service in the army and is employed as manager of the Llewellyn Dairy, Midland.

Miss Alma Kroll, Midland, and Miss Ethel Kroll, Gilmore, attended the wedding.

Mr. Kroll and his bride have returned to Gilmore and are residing with his parents.

# Personals

Mr. and Mrs. James DeWitt Sloan have returned from their wedding trip to North Carolina, and are residing with the former's parents, former Judge and Mrs. D. Lindley Sloan, The Dingle.

Mrs. Leah B. Twigg, Flintstone, fractured her wrist in a fall last Friday.

Mrs. C. A. Grimes, 453 Central avenue is a patient in Allegany Hospital.

French Sensabaugh is a patient in Memorial Hospital, where he is improving after undergoing an operation.

M. Sgt. James E. Stakem, son of Mrs. Alice Stakem, 219 Schley Street, has been transferred from overseas to Oliver General Hospital at Augusta, Ga.

Miss Veronica Kompanek, who is employed by the Associated Press in Washington, D. C., will return to Washington this afternoon after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kompanek, 511 Pearre Avenue. She will leave Washington Friday by plane for Texas where she will spend her vacation.

**WIFE PRESERVERS**

If you enjoy warm temperature in your house in winter, moths do the same, so it is a good idea to brush, clean, sun and air your woolens and furs to dislodge any moth eggs or larvae.

# Women's Clubs To Hold Convention In N. Y. June 23-28

Miss Elizabeth Lloyd Lowndes will attend the annual convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, to be held in the Commodore Hotel, New York City, June 23-28.

The Washington headquarters calls attention to the fact that the meeting is being held at the gateway of the United Nations' center of operations on behalf of which they are carrying on an elaborate educational program.

Among the first women speakers to be announced are Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and Mrs. Vera Micheles Dean, research director of the Foreign Policy Association. Topics will concern the United Nations, UNESCO, the Peace Treaty and other current domestic problems and various interests directed by the departments of work: Citizenship, American Home, Education, Fine Arts, International Relations, Legislation, Post War Planning, Public Welfare and Peace Service.

Headquarters also announces that the federation is already supporting in this Congress the International Trade Organization including opposition to the postponement of the Preparatory committee meeting in Geneva; the International Refugee Organization; National Representation for the District of Columbia; the Equal Rights Amendment; the Public Library Demonstration bill and other educational legislation in accordance with policies outlined in resolutions previously adopted.

# Events In Brief

The Relief Sewing group of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 9 this morning in the church house.

The executive board of the Womans' Association of the First Presby erian Church will meet at 1:30 today in the church house.

Cresaptown Visitation-Evangelism workers will meet at the parsonage at 1 today for assignments. A covered dish supper will be held at 5:30 and reports will be made.

The Men's Class of the First Baptist Church will meet at 7:30 tomorrow night at the church.

The Spiritual Life Group of First Presbyterian Church will meet at 8:20 tonight in the church house.

Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong will be hostess to members of the Rawlings WSCS at 7:30 tomorrow night.

The A. E. L. Sisterhood will meet at the home of Mrs. Sue Lewis, Cresaptown, at 7:30 tomorrow night.

The Red Cross sewing group of the Vera Blinn Society will meet at the home of Mrs. John S. Cook, Bowling Green, chairman, tomorrow.

The American Home Group of the Woman's Civic Club will meet at 2 tomorrow afternoon, at the home of Miss Elizabeth L. Lowndes. Rev. David Watson will be the speaker.

A Cathedral film, "Child of Bethlehem," will be shown tomorrow night in conjunction with the Lenten service at Eckhart Methodist Church.

Star of the East Sisterhood, No 111, Dames of Malta will meet at 7:30 tomorrow night at Junior Order hall.

The Past Presidents Club of the VFW Auxiliary will meet tomorrow night with Mrs. Rachael Imes, Mrs. Elizabeth Halley and Mrs. Alice Miller as hostesses.

The Cresap Homemakers Club will meet at 9:30 a. m., tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Herbert Heineman, Cresap Park.

A ham supper will be held under the sponsorship of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Baltimore Pike Fire Company from 5 until 8 tomorrow night in the fire hall.

The Adelphia Bible Class of First Christian Church will meet at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Ray L. Henthorne, 718 Frederick street, at 7:30 tomorrow night.

The Frances E. Willard Bible Class of Kingsley Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ada Minnicks, 727 Hill Top drive at 8 tomorrow night. Mrs. Ruth Shade will be co-hostess.


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# Lambda Chapter Plans Ritual And Dinner

## Outlines Program On Drama For March

Maryland Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority formulated plans for the Ritual of Jewels, a dinner and cultural program, at the meeting last night at the Girl Scout Little House, with Miss Lillian Boughton presiding.

The formal Ritual of Jewels will be held in conjunction with the Omricron Chapter, April 30, at Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club.

The next meeting will be held March 11 in the form of a dinner at the Central YMCA. At which time the report of the Nominating committee will be given. Miss Alta Earl was named chairman of the decorations.

Plans were discussed for giving a play entitled, "Waitin' for the Train," as the cultural program on Drama, at the meeting March 25. Members taking part will be Miss Catherine Lippold, Miss Patricia Lynch, Miss Betty Hare, Miss Dorothy Scott, Miss Virginia Ward and Mrs. Wilbur Parker.

Reports were also given on the sale of "everyday" greeting cards.

Miss Lippold conducted a study of "Invitation To Life," stressing the traditions of the sorority, it's colors and flower, in preparation for the rushee.

Members attending were Miss Martha Lee Heron, Miss Virginia Ward, Miss Earl, Mrs. Parker, Miss Charlotte Hartsock, Miss Scott, Miss Mildred Blades, Miss Christine Lamp, Miss Lynch, Miss Eleanor Albright, Miss Hare, Miss Verna Grove, Mrs. William Pomeroy, Miss Phyllis McElfish, Miss Mary Alice Lookenott and Miss Elizabeth Glavish.

# Sisterhood To Mark Anniversary

The Sisterhood of B'er Chayim Temple will celebrate its 71st anniversary with a luncheon and program at 1 today at the Cumberland Country Club.

Greetings will be extended by the president of the Sisterhood and representatives of various organizations of the temple, and Beth Jacob Sisterhood.

A program of music and pantomime, depicting six decades of the Sisterhood, will feature the program.

The committee in charge of arrangements includes Mrs. Morton Peskin, chairman, Mrs. Lee Lichtenstein and Mrs. Harry Pinsky.

# VFW Auxiliary Gives To Red Cross And Greek Relief

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars met last night and voted donations to two organizations, with Mrs. Florine Rinker presiding.

A contribution of $25 was made to the Red Cross and $5 for Greek Relief.

A letter of appreciation for the furniture for the Maryland cottage at the national home at Eaton Rapids, Mich., was read. It was also reported that it arrived in good condition.

The nomination of officers will be held March 11 and election will be held at the meeting March 25.

Approximately 50 members attended the meeting.


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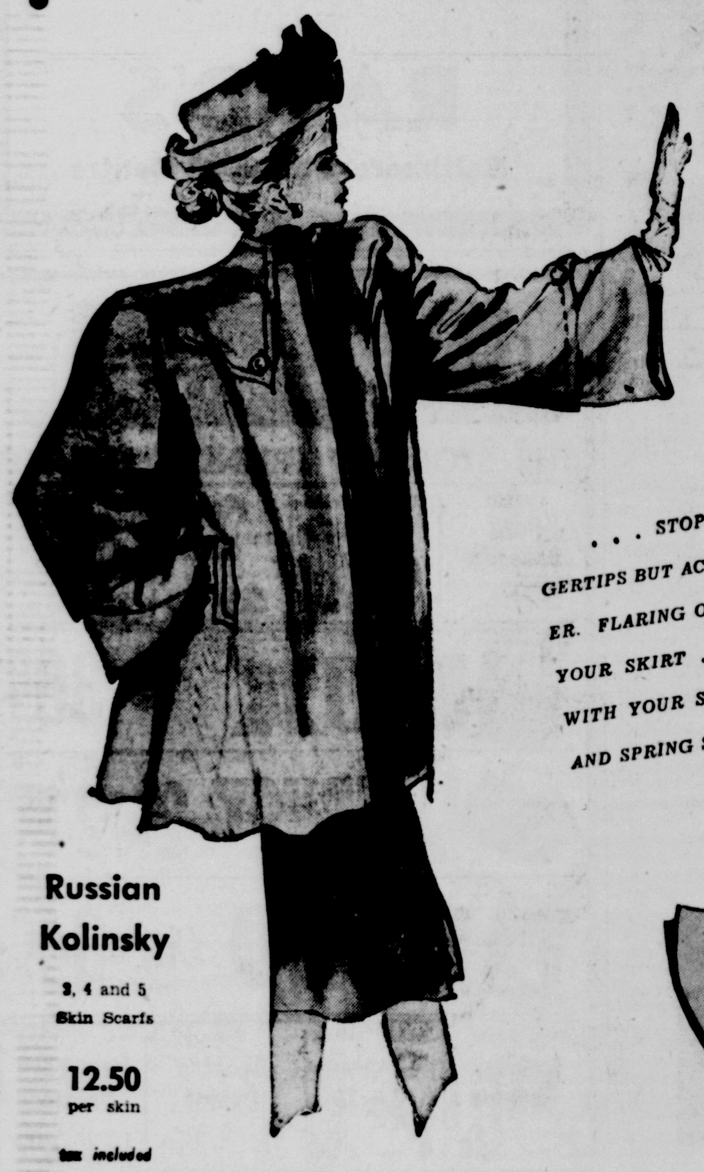

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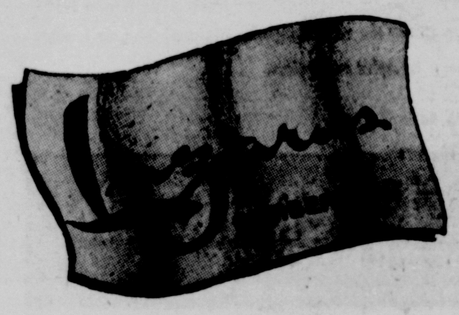

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# Motor Club Dance To Be Held Tonight

A benefit dance, sponsored by the Western Maryland Motor Club, will be held at the Ali Ghan City Club, South Centre street, tonight. It will be semi-formal with Kenny Gray's orchestra playing from 9 until 1 o'clock.

Open to the public, the dance is to raise funds to help defray expenses of sending members of the School Patrol to Washington, for the national meeting, early in May. Between 200 and 300 boys and girls are expected to make the trip.

Tickets may be procurred at the door or from any member of the committee, which includes Hugo Keller, president and chairman, Kinsey A. Wolfe, Daniel D'Amicol, Harold Blume and Mrs. Mary Grimes.

# Mapleside Club To Mark 13th Anniversary

Plans for the thirteenth anniversary of the Mapleside Homemakers Club were formulated and chairmen announced at the meeting of the club earlier in the week, at the home of Mrs. August Bealky, St. Mary's Avenue.

Mrs. Arthur G. Arthur will be hostess for the celebration, March 20, at 11:30, at her home, Ridgedale Avenue.

Mrs. Harry Brotemarkle, recently elected president, and first president of the club, has appointed Mrs. F. A. Parker, parliamentarian; Mrs. Harold Bishop, Membership chairman; Mrs. Bernard Fleigle, Fair; Mrs. Brotemarkle, Historian; Mrs. Harry Morin, Publicity; Mrs. Arthur, Welfare; Mrs. F. R. Brotemarkle, RWSC; Mrs. Madge Wharton, Reading; Mrs. LeRoy Jewell and Mrs. Leo Darr, Peace; Mrs. George Burdett, Music; Mrs. Ray VanHorn, Recreation; Mrs. V. D. Hinkle, Mrs. Clyde Wolford, Clothing; Mrs. John Clancy, Home Furnishing; Mrs. VanMeter, Home Management; Mrs. J. R. Smith, Nutrition and Health and Mrs. John Wempe, Garden.

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# Nurses Get Swank Styles

BEAUTIFUL "NURSE" . . . Marian Carr, blonde and beguiling movie actress, models the new uniforms to be seen on Public Health Nurses. Left, navy all-purpose coat with zip-in red flannel lining; right, blue and white seersucker dress. Sketched are the navy poplin dress and the smart navy blue serge suit.

New uniforms, created by a New York designer, are expected to spur the current drive for 8,000 Public Health Nurses throughout the United States.

The uniforms, some of which are pictured here, are the first national uniform for the Public Health Nursing agencies, which include Visiting Nurse Associations, school nurses, some nurses employed by Red Cross agenices, and some employed by industrial firms. Heretofore each agency had its own uniform.

The costumes include a blue and white seersucker dress and suit for summer; a navy serge suit with the new longer jacket; a navy poplin all-season dress; a year-round coat of navy cravenetted gabardine, with zip-in lining of fireman red flannel. Also included are a white coverall apron, fitted bag of navy leather, short-sleeve blouse to wear with either summer or winter suit and a classic hat of navy felt.

# Helen Clare Davis Is Elected To Societies

Penn Hall Junior College, Chambersburg, Pa., has announced that Miss Helen Clare Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David T. Davis, 217 Washington street, has been elected to two National Honor Societies, Phi Theta Kappa and Kappa Zeta, for scholastic excellence.

A freshman at the college, Miss Davis was also an honor student at Penn Hall Preparatory school, where she graduated last June.

The average American takes approximately 267 strokes to brush his teeth.

# BEAUTY IS AS BEAUTY DOES

By BETTY CLARKE
AP Newsfeatures Beauty Editor

Makeup can be magic if it is used with skill. It won't do you any good to have the world's best and most expensive cosmetics if you don't know how to use them. And

there are definite techniques in applying makeup so that you won't look giddy with color.

Street makeup is about the most difficult to handle even for a professional makeup artist. Changes in light can make you look positively bilious if you don't use color deftly.

You wouldn't, for instance, make up for a walk in the park painted in the bright pomades you would use for a dance at the club. But there are ways to makeup for a walk, a shopping jaunt or for an outdoor sport that will give you a glowing look.

First scrub your face with soap and water (unless your skin is exceptionally dry). Then apply some face oil such as vegetable oil. Leave it on your skin for about 10 or 15 minutes, blot it off with tissue. Now take a bit of cream rouge—if you don't have a shade to match your lipstick, use your lipstick as rouge. Apply it to your cheekbone in three small dots making a triangle. Rub it up toward your eye and out toward your temple.

Powder your face lightly, apply lipstick and blot off the excess with tissue. Remember that the blue-red lipsticks are perfect for spring and for sunny winter days but on bleak cold days they will make you look blue lipped and cold. You'll do better with a clear red lipstick on a wintry day.

If you are young enough to look like a schoolgirl without makeup, skip the powder and rouge and apply your lipstick directly after your face oil bath.

Corn cobs are an essential material in the manufacture of ball and roller bearings, according to SKF Industries, Inc., which uses the rural produce to dry and polish the steel devices prior to final inspection.

The bazooka gun is not so modern in design, being fashioned somewhat after the hand gun of a 15th century soldier.

# Delta Theta Chi Has Illustrated Talk On Symphony

Miss Dorothy Willison addressed members of Delta Theta Chi on "Appreciation of Symphony," at the meeting of the sorority Monday night at Central YMCA.

Naming and describing the instruments, which compose a symphony orchestra, she listed them as string instruments, wood wind, brass and percussion instruments. Miss Willison explained that in the string section are the violins, usually occupying the front of the stage; then violas and cellos; while at the back of the stage are the bass viols.

The wood wind, oboe and bassoon, clarinet and English horn are usually placed just back of the violins, Miss Willison said, then the brass section, composed of French horn, bass tuba and cornet, while the various percussion instruments are situated at the rear.

A composer, the speaker explained, develops a simple theme into a symphony, usually with four movements. These she listed as a simple statement or introduction of the theme or subject; the second movement develops this theme by many means, by harmony and counter harmony, by giving it to first one instrument and then another and by variations; the third movement is recapitulation of the theme in a majestic manner; and the fourth, a summary of the first three and blending of them.

Symphonies are not named by the composers, but are designed by number, Miss Willison said, they frequently are nicknamed as for example, "The Unfinished Symphony." In concluding she pointed out that the different movements comprising the symphony are designated by terms indicating the manner in which they are to be played, whether fast, slow, soft or loud.

Miss Willison illustrated her talk by playing Caesar Frank's symphony in D minor, which will be the second number the National Symphony Orchestra will play here March 17, under the direction of Hans Kindler. Other selections on the March 17th program will be Overture from "Marriage of Figaro," Etude, Scarabin; and "Capriccio Espagnole," Rimskey Korsakoff.

# ACE To Give Public Card Party Tomorrow

A benefit card party will be held by the Association of Childhood Education tomorrow night in St. Mary's Catholic Church hall, Oldtown Road. Bridge, 500 and set back will be played, refreshments served and prizes awarded.

Miss Catherine Laughlin and Miss Mabel Twigg are co-chairmen and are being assisted by a committee including Miss Nellie Thomas, Miss Esther Carter, Miss Margaret Beck, Miss Mildred Beck and Miss Margaret Doak.

# Shaft Club Marks Ninth Anniversary

The Shaft Homemakers Club celebrated its ninth anniversary earlier in the week, at the home of Mrs. Bessie McKenzie. A donation of $5 was voted to the Red Cross.

The program was presented under the direction of Mrs. Conrad Kroll and Mrs. Bertie Clark and Mrs. Edward Smith, members of the Midland Club, gave readings.

# STEPS TOWARD HAPPINESS

AP Newsfeatures

SCRANTON, Pa. — Mrs. Frank Cerra, 33-year-old blind mother of three children, is taking new steps

toward happiness—she's learning to dance.

Determined not to be discouraged by her loss of sight, she outlined a program of normal living and included dancing.

With her first evening gown boasting an orchid corsage, Mrs. Cerra drove to the dance with her husband. She admits it "was fun" and hopes to be a regular devotee of art of tripping the light fantastic.

Mrs. Cerra has been blind since 1939, the result of an optic hemorrhage.

She accepted the blindness philosophically, continuing to do her housework and caring for her children.

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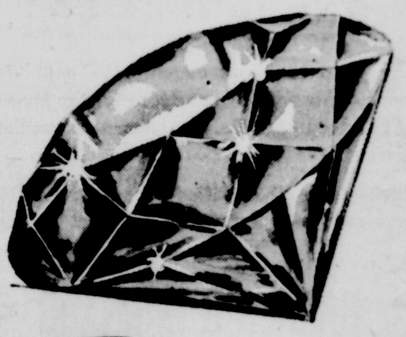

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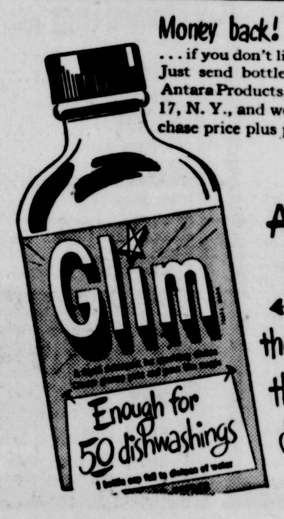


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# Poll Shows American Thinking Has Shifted On Lowering Voting Age

## Sentiment High In War Is Off Now

By DR. GEORGE GALLUP
Director, American Institute of Public Opinion

PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 25 — Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg's recent proposal that the voting age be dropped to 18 does not at the present time have the support of the voting public.

A poll of the nation finds a majority opposed to having any change in the voting laws to that citizens 18, 19, and 20 years of age have the right to vote.

Today's findings show a marked shift in public opinion since 1943, when sentiment favoring allowing the younger people a vote was at its height.

The feeling prevailing at that time—during the war—was that if a man was old enough to be drafted into the army to fight, he was also old enough to cast a vote. A majority in the poll said we should give the 18-year-olds the right to vote.

Present opposition to any lowering of the voting age is not confined to any one group or any particular section of the country, although opposition to the idea is found to be lightest in the South.

Georgia, under Governor Ellis Arnall, reduced its voting age to 18 in a special state referendum held during 1943.

A move to lower the voting age in New Mexico to 18 was introduced in the Legislature there by Senator Burton Roach. In a recent test, his resolution fell two votes short of the three-fourths majority necessary for passage. A similar measure was defeated in the House there.

Present public sentiment on the issue throughout the nation is measured by the Institute as follows:

**"At the present time, American citizens cannot vote until they become 21 years of age. Would you favor changing the law to allow persons 18, 19, and 20 years old to vote?"**

The replies:

| | |
|---|---|
| Yes | 35% |
| No | 60 |
| No Opinion | 5 |

Back in 1939 when the Institute measured public attitudes toward lowering the voting age, opposition to the idea was overwhelming.

In January, of 1943, with this nation at war and with 18-year-olds being drafted for service in the armed forces, opposition toward lowering the voting age was diminishing, and by September of the same year, a slight majority were found favoring a change.

The trend of thinking on the question:

| | Yes | No | No Opin. |
|---|---|---|---|
| June, 1939 | 17% | 79% | 4% |
| Jan., 1943 | 39 | 52 | 9 |
| April, 1943 | 42 | 52 | 6 |
| Sept., 1943 | 52 | 42 | 6 |
| TODAY | 35 | 60 | 5 |

Poll results analayzed by sections and for major population groups in the tables below:

| POLITICAL | Yes | No | No Opin. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Democrats | 37% | 58% | 5% |
| Republicans | 33 | 63 | 4 |

| SECTIONS | Yes | No | No Opin. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New England & Middle Atlantic | 32% | 63% | 5% |
| East Central | 38 | 58 | 4 |
| West Central | 35 | 61 | 4 |
| South | 37 | 53 | 10 |
| Mountain States & Pacific Coast | 31 | 61 | 3 |

| AGES | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 21-29 Years | 34 | 62 | 4 |
| 30-49 Years | 39 | 57 | 4 |
| 50 Years & Over | 31 | 63 | 6 |

| EDUCATION | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| College | 31 | 66 | 3 |
| High School | 34 | 62 | 4 |
| Grammar School or Less | 37 | 57 | 6 |

Carl Linnaeus, the man who know from memory the scientific names of thousands of plants and animals, could not recall his own name at the time of his death.

## Cattle Rustlers Busy In Germany

BERLIN, (AP)—Cattle rustling has gone modern in postwar Germany, where it is waged by German blackmarketers out to replenish their illegal meat stocks.

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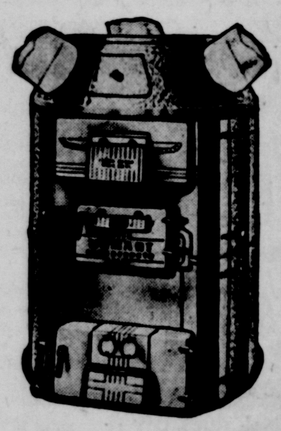

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# Commissioners Approve Sanitary District Measure

## Enabling Act To Be Sent To Annapolis

The Board of Allegany County Commissiners yesterday unanimously approved a proposed enabling act to set up sanitary districts within the county and submit the act to the Maryland General Assembly for passage.

Commissioner William H. Lemmert made the motion to approve the bill and seconded by Commissioner James Holmes, with Board President, Commissioner Charles N. Wilkinson Jr., approving.

A large delegation of citizens from all parts of the county appeared in behalf of the enabling act, and its purpose was explained in detail.

The act provides that the County Board will name three commissioners to serve as a sanitary commission and that two of the commissioners shall be paid not more than $900 each and the chairman a maximum of $1,200 annually. The commissioners shall be citizens and taxpayers of Allegany County.

The purpose of the act is to set up within the county certain sanitary districts outside the City of Cumberland, and to empower the Sanitary Commission to establish, buy, construct or otherwise ecquire necessary sewage, water and drainage systems and facilities.

J. Milton Dick, former minority leader of the House of Delegates, a leader in the move to set up the system, outlined the benefits of the project, which was also supported by civic leaders from a number of county areas.

Dr. Winter R. Frantz, assistant county health officer, likewise stressed the advantages of the system in promoting better health conditions in smaller communities of the county. The three judges of the Orphans' Court also appeared in support of the plan. They are Chief Judge J. French Van Meter, Cresaptown; Judge Hugh Stevenson, Ellerslie, and Judge William C. Abbott, Lonaconing.

Commissioner Wilkinson said he had been county sanitary inspector for several years and "fully realizes" the necessity of the system. Commissioners Lemmert and Holmes also declared they have long been in favor of some action to remedy present conditions.

Others who appeared in support of the proposed act were William J. Chappell, Barton; Herbert O. Heineman, Cresaptown; B. T. Coulehar and Clarence Liller, Potomac Park; M. G. Thompson and Charle. Simpson, LaVale; Kenneth Crowe Frostburg; Raymond Layman Shaft; Joseph Starkey, Corrigan ville, and Dr. William E. Moseley Mt. Savage.

It was indicated that the act, if enacted at Annapolis, would take effect upon the date of its passage, and members of the sanitary board named within a few weeks.

**HIGHER THAN FENCES**—Shown here is a typical Allegany County snow scene showing snow piles seven feet high where county snow plows removed deep drifts on the Bean's Cove Road. This secondary road, one of a score opened after county men and equipment worked as long as 20 hours at a stretch, was cleared for about a mile from the highway yesterday and further work on this and other roads will continue today, officials indicated.

# DEATHS

**MRS. MARIAN HOOVER**

Mrs. Marian E. Hoover, widow of Abraham D. Hoover, died early last night at her home, 202 Maple Street, Mapleside, after a long illness.

She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Surviving are a son, Shannon Hoover, and a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Fahey, both at home, and six grandchildren.

**JOSEPH BROOKMAN, JR.**

Joseph A. Brookman, Jr., 20, a student at St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia, died last night at 7:30 o'clock at his home in Philadelphia.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Brookman, Sr., of that city. His father was a native of Cumberland and left here about 20 years ago.

Among the survivors are two aunts, Mrs. Vincent Becker and Mrs. R. B. Browning, both of this city.

**JAMES WILLIAMS RITES**

A funeral service for James Russell Williams, 49, 511 Louisiana avenue, retired B. and O. brakeman, who died Monday in Memorial Hospital, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home. Rev. Joseph W. Young will officiate and interment will be in Greenmount Cemetery.

**BURKHART BABY DIES**

William Howard Burkhart, infant son of Howard and Kathleen Clark Burkhart, Route 1, Ridgeley, W. Va., died yesterday morning in Memorial Hospital. The child was born January 30.

A funeral service will be conducted today at 2 p. m. in the Stein Funeral Home by Rev. Vernon Shanholtz and burial will be in Hillcrest Burial Park.

**CHARLES SLONAKER RITES**

A funeral service for Charles Spencer Slonaker, 54, Route 3, Pleasant Road, who died of a gunshot wound Saturday night, was conducted yesterday afternoon in the Hafer Funeral Home by Rev. Richard L. Bready, pastor of Centennial Methodist Church. Burial was in Union Grove Cemetery.

Pallbearers, members of Nest No. 90, Order of Owls, were Eugene Davalli, Samuel Moreland, Boyd Harper, Charles Sims, Leslie Pritchard and Louis Bagatti.

**EMIL KRAMPF RITES**

A funeral service for Emil Henry Krampf, 64, 427 Walnut street, who died suddenly Saturday afternoon, was conducted yesterday afternoon in the Kight Funeral Home. Dr. H. Hall Sharp, pastor of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, officiated and burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers were William Schneider, Floyd Boggs, Bernard, Conrad and James Yost and Charles McKenzie.

**JOSEPH CARBINE RITES**

A funeral service for F. Joseph Carbine, 75, who died suddenly at his home, 73 Greene street, was held yesterday morning in St. Patrick's Catholic Church. Rev. Michael J. Carney, of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, Baltimore, was the celebrant of the requiem mass and interment was in SS. Peter and Paul Cemetery.

Pallbearers were James, Frank and Thomas Mullaney, Walter Lippold, John T. Hughes and Thomas Carbine.

**MRS. LYONS RITES**

A funeral service for Mrs. Fannie Lyons, 47, wife of Tony Lyons, Green Spring, W. Va., who died Saturday in Memorial Hospital, was conducted yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home.

Rev. Sumner Sawyer officiated and interment was in Camp Hill Cemetery, Paw Paw, W. Va. Pallbearers were Thomas Brown, James C. Wilson, Garland Morley, John Smith, Albert Holland and Charles Whetzel.

**JACOB MILLER RITES**

A brief funeral service for Jacob Miller, 67, 214 Spring street, a local painter, who died Sunday in Allegany Hospital, will be conducted tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock in the Stein Funeral Home. Burial will be in SS. Peter and Paul Cemetery.

## Bruce Sees No Danger Of Spring Flood

Although the recent heavy snowfall set a record at Lake Gordon of 16 inches on the level, C. J. Bruce, superintendent of the Evitts Creek Water Company, said yesterday there is no danger of floods unless there is an unprecedented amount of snow over a long period in the future.

Bruce said that with the exception of the recent snowstorm, there has not been much snow this winter and consequently it is not packed down in the mountains, where it would not melt until heavy spring rains come.

Parker Cleveland, born at Rowley, Mass., in 1780, died at Brunswick, Me., 78 years later, was given the title of father of American mineralogy.

## Negro Girl Held On Theft Charge

A Negro girl, booked as Nina A. Brown, 18, 156 Wineow street, was committed to the County Jail in default of $200 bond for grand jury action in connection with the theft of $48 after she waived a preliminary hearing in Trial Magistrates Court yesterday.

Police said she admitted taking the money from the office of the Electric Service Company, 188 Wineow Street, last Thursday. She was arrested Monday after Lt. James E. Van and Officer P. M. Crabtree saw her in the Silver Grill on North Mechanic street and called her outside.

Walter Ravenscroft, Midland, was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction on a charge of assaulting his wife, Mrs. Dora Ravenscroft, for the second time since last July. He filed notice of an appeal.

Ravenscroft, who pleaded not guilty to assaulting his wife last Friday, received a suspended sentence of six months on July 6, 1946, on a charge of assaulting his wife.

## Annulment Suit Filed In Circuit Court

A suit for annulment was filed in Circuit Court yesterday by Amerigo Mattie, brother and next friend for Sarah Jean Mattie Mark, petitioning the Court to dissolve her marriage to Bernard William Mark, this city and formerly of Brownsville, Pa.

The petition alleges that the petitioner's sister was married to Mark in Cumberland June 5, 1946, but the marriage was not consumated and she returned to her home at Grindstone, Fayette county, Pa. It is also alleged that Mark was 24 years of age and the girl 16.

A suit for divorce was filed by James F. McIntoch from Evelyn N. McIntoch, and custody of four minor children.

## Seymour Is Appointed Research Lab Official

G. Wilbur Seymour, McDonald Terrace, superintendent of chemical research at the Amcelle plant of the Celanese Corporation of America, has been appointed assistant director of the company's physical research laboratory at Summit, N. J., Fred T. Small, plant manager, announced last night.

Mr. Saymour is one of the group of chemists at the Amcelle plant who will leave here soon to staff the newly established laboratory which will concentrate the company's technological and research activities in the fields of textile plastics and chemicals in a single laboratory. Control laboratories, however, will remain here.

# News Briefs

A special meeting of Algonquin Post No. 2, Legion of Guardsmen, will be held at the post home at 8 o'clock tonight when the recreation program will be discussed and committee reports made. Members of the ball club of post members who want to try out for baseball and softball teams are urged to be present. Refreshments will be served.

C. E. Stutzman, business manager of Local 453, Teamsters Union, said drivers of Johnny's Cabs will meet at the union hall Friday at 7 a. m. to take action upon a company offer for a new contract.

A program of instrumental and vocal music has been arranged by the program chairman for tonight's meeting of the Cumberland Optimist Club, at 6:15 o'clock in Central YMCA, according to I. N. Evans, secretary.

John G. Cook, Frostburg, who was reported seriously ill in Memorial Hospital last week, is improving.

The Maryland Tuberculosis Association has scheduled chest clinics for Allegany County at City Hall starting at 9 a. m. Friday, March 14; Wednesday, March 26, and Thursday, March 27. A clinic will be held in Garrett County at the Oakland health office on Wednesday, March 12, at 9 a. m.

The Evitts Creek Water Company will meet Wednesday, March 5, at 2:30 p. m. in the office of Mayor Thomas S. Post.

South End Company No. 2 answered a false alarm at 9:50 a. m. yesterday at the home of E. T. Dicken, 712 Glenmore Street. The water in the furnace boiled dry, after a valve stuck, and the house was filled with smoke, firemen said.

## Long To Be Recommended For Recreation Board

Stating that he will ask members of the City Council for their recommendations regarding the appointment of a five-man recreation board at a meeting of the Mayor and Council Friday morning to pass the payroll, Mayor Thomas S. Post said yesterday he will recommend the appointment of John J. Long, LaSalle High School coach.

The mayor also said he hopes to guard against the possibility of any individual or groups of individuals turning the new board into a "political football" since "politics should be kept out of the recreation program."

Mayor Post said he will ask council members on Friday whether they have any additional suggestions for other legislation concerning the city.

Commissioner William V. Keegan, who also said recreation must be kept out of politics, stated he went to Baltimore over the weekend to confer with Michael F. Kelley, executive secretary of the Eastern Community Council, Incorporated. Kelley spoke here February 12, describing the recreation program which he directs in the Patterson Park section of Baltimore.

Keegan said the first need is to provide activities for children to keep them off the streets. Later, he said, a program for adult recreation could be set up.

## Floor Show To Feature B & O Dance Friday

Students of Miss Mary Katherine Steckman will present a floor show Friday night as an entertainment feature of the dance sponsored by Queen City Lodge No. 885, International Association of Machinists Helpers, according to M. R. Barrett.

Miss Steckman is planning a music and dance program in keeping with the ocacsion, the 120th anniversary of the granting of the charter to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. The dance will be held Friday from 9 until 1 o'clock in the Queen City Hotel Ballroom.

For the convenience of members and their friends, Barrett said, tickets have been made available in the Good Fellowship Club and the South End Republican Club, Virginia avenue.

## Revival Opens Here

Revival services are now in progress at the Church of God, 411 Maryland Avenue, with Evangelist P. C. Stewart, Tulsa, Okla., the speaker each evening at 7:30 o'clock. The meetings opened last Sunday and will continue through March 16.

Evangelist Stewart has served as a missionary to Cuba and during the past 10 years has preached in 40 of the nation's states.

## Textile To Hold Installation Friday

Newly elected officers of 1874, Textile Workers Union of America, CIO, will be installed Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in the union hall, North Mechanic Street, Lewis "Red" Chaney, acting chairman of the local's special activities committee, reported last night. An installation dance will be held, beginning at 9 a. m. in Woodmen Hall.

Chaney said an official of the national office will be here to obligate the officers, adding that Wesley Cook, assistant director of the rayon director, or Boyd Payton, regional TWUA director, may be here.

## Lenten Service Tonight At First Methodist

Rev. Joseph W. Young, pastor of Mapleside Church, will deliver the sermon at the mid-week Lenten service at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the First Methodist Church, Bedford street. His subject will be "Jesus Passeth By".

Rev. James Richards, pastor will sing a solo and a special number will be offered by the church choir. Rev. Richards said there were 120 people at last week's service and over 300 at the church service Sunday night.


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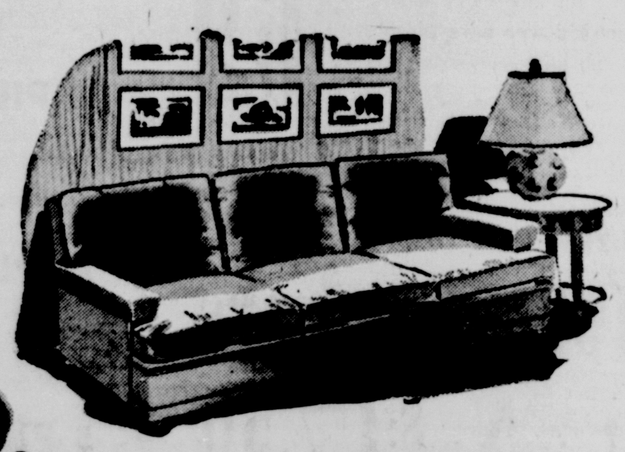

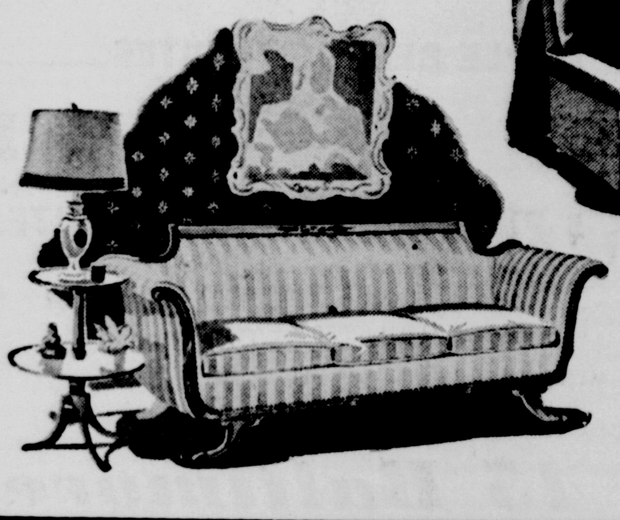

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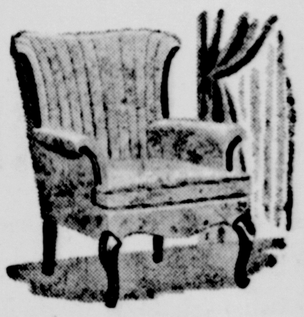

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# Listen World

By ELSIE ROBINSON

### BELIEVE IN SOMETHING

Grove Patterson has been one of my favorite persons over many a happy year. I know of no man who so simply yet powerfully portrays our common human conflict. Recently, in a collection of his works, he quoted Raymond Swing of San Francisco. At one time Mr. Swing said to him these unforgettable words:—

**"I should rather believe in something and be wrong than not believe in it and be right."**

Most of us are profoundly convinced that we believe in a great many things. As a matter of fact we believe in almost nothing. We are a mass of prejudices, fears, suspicions, inherited notions and acquired habits. But we seldom believe in any one thing truly and deeply. We have seldom thought any one thing through to the end.

And that, more than any other reason, is why so many of us are mediocrities or downright failures.

**A person who believes in something enthusiastically and vehemently stands out like a great light. His ideas may irritate you. You may utterly disapprove of him. But he is a personality, and a personality is as different from an ordinary human being as a boiled cabbage.**

The first step toward being a distinct individual is to believe in something. It may be a very trivial thing, but put all your wallop behind it. Do to that idea what women do to their hair and faces and nails. The average woman is just a hodge-podge of features but she manages to make herself distinctive by an unusual hair do, some trick of the eyebrows or some expressive motion of the hands. Result—instead of being just an ordinary Katie—she becomes a Person.

Dare to do that with your mind. Select some idea and make it an individual cause or campaign. Believe in it with everything you have. Don't read it out of a book. Don't take anyone's word for it. Select it from the daily run of human experience and brand it with your own copyright. And, having done so, stick to it.

Don't be too shrill about it nor too firm in your refusal to compromise. But while you are believing in anything make it a 100 percent job.

**There have never been so many chances to believe in things as there are right now. New ideas are popping up like mushrooms in a spring pasture. All of these new ideas are controversial but some are of enduring spiritual worth. There is a new tolerance toward race and religion which is one of the few happy results of our last war. There's a chance for a valiant believer. Everyone else in the apartment house may sneer at the Jews or snipe at the Catholics or yipe at the Chinese. But you can become a marked person if you will simply conform to the immortal truth that all men are born with "equal right of opportunity."**

Take your stand and take it hard. Some will laugh at you and some will sneer at you. But if you can't stand a little laughter and a few sneers you are not much of a human being.

The greatest thing in life is Belief.

The few men and women who dared to have individual beliefs and fight for them have had a tough time of it. They usually attained immortality but quite often they were crucified before they became town heroes.

Yet no matter how hard a beating you get, it's always worth while to believe in something and to believe in it hard. No matter what the other fellow may think about you, belief brings an inner glow, a secret courage that overrides all obstacles, and rare great moments of vision.

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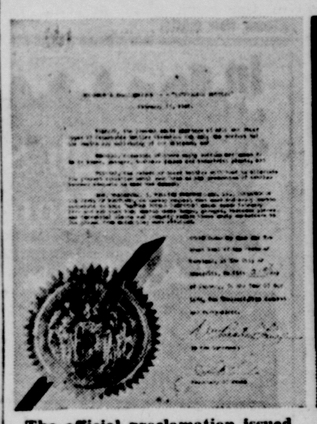
# GOVERNOR LANE PROCLAIMS NEED FOR BOTTLE ROUNDUP



The official proclamation issued by the Governor calls for a search of homes and business places for urgently needed milk and beverage bottles

Governor Lane signs his bottle-roundup proclamation in the presence of E. A. Randlett, Baltimore representative of Owens-Illinois Glass Company.

ANNAPOLIS, Md.—Gov. William Preston Lane Jr., has issued a proclamation calling upon Maryland citizens to search their homes and places of employment for returnable milk and beverage bottles.

Opening a state-wide campaign to get empty bottles back into circulation, the proclamation was issued to prevent a breakdown in milk, soft-drink and beer deliveries due to a bottle shortage. The bottle-return drive will continue until glass production, hit by raw-material scarcities, reaches adequate levels.

The shortage of bottles "threatens not only the comfort but the health and well-being of our citizens," Governor Lane said. "He urged a thorough search of homes, garages, business places and industrial plants and prompt return of the empty containers to points of origin.

Prompt return of bottles "will tend to alleviate the present situation," the proclamation said. According to latest reports, more than 35,000,000 bottles have gone "truant" in American homes, and Maryland may uncover 3,000,000 of these.

A shortage of soda ash, one of the prime ingredients of glass-making, is behind the bottle shortage which threatens serious curtailment of milk and beverage supplies. The soda ash shortage, amounting to 500,000 tons a year, will continue throughout 1947, according to the United States Department of Commerce.

## Army Fighting Equipment Will Be Demonstrated

ABERDEEN, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—Newest types of weapons, projectiles and other fighting equipment will be demonstrated to the commanding generals of National Guard Units throughout the country at the Army's proving ground here this week.

The demonstration is in connection with the three-day conference of adjutants general which opens tomorrow in Washington. Its aim is to lay the groundwork for "the greatest National Guard in the nation's history."

Maj. Gen. Milton A. Record will represent Maryland at the conference. He will be accompanied by Brig. Gen. Henry C. Evans, Assistant Commanding General of the 29th Division; Brig. Gen. Harry C. Ruhl and Col. E. Leslie Medford, members of his staff, and Col. Thomas S. Delahay, property and disbursing officer.

## Evidence Points To Small Fry, Police Declare

FREDERICK, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—A bottling works, a creamery, and a school building were ransacked overnight, and police said today they had reasons to believe it was the work of small fry.

The reasons:

Despite methods termed "cyclonic," the intruders passed up all safes and strong boxes. They had several bottles of pop at the soft drink plant. At the creamery they dined on ice cream. And in the school cafeteria they ate all the bananas, throwing skins all over the floor.

## Faces Income Tax Charge

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—A federal grand jury today returned an indictment accusing Harry G. Bour, downtown shoe dealer, of income tax violations totaling $59,193 over a four year period.

The specifications charged that Bour paid $81.50 in taxes in 1940 when he should have paid $2,263. Shortages for the next three years were listed as $20,222, $24,845 and $11,543.

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# Miss Mary Hicks Becomes Bride Of Noah Rhoades

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, Feb. 25—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hicks, Hambleton, announce the marriage of the latter's daughter, Mary Lucille, to Noah Rhoades, son of Mrs. Laura Rhoades, Hambleton.

The single ring ceremony was solemnized in the parsonage of the United Brethren church in Parsons Saturday evening, February 22, with the Rev. Blair Burr, pastor of the church officiating. The bride wore a street length dress of blue with matching accessories, and a single strand of pearls.

The bride, is also a daughter of the late Albert Lee Hedrick and is a graduate of Hamrick schools. Mr. Rhoades served four and one half years in the army with three years of overseas service. He is the holder of the Good Conduct medal, the Asiatic Pacific ribbon with one star, the Bronze Star, the Pre-Pearl Harbor ribbon and is now employed by the Dodd Archer mining Company in Douglas.

**Marriage Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil O'Hara, Parsons, announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Florine, Hoffman, to Ross Edward Marteney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Marteney, Montrose.

The single ring service was performed in the parsonage of the St. Paul's Methodist church in Oakland, February 15 at 4 o'clock with Rev. Denver C. Pickens, pastor of the church officiating.

The bride wore a street length dress of light blue with black and white accessories and completed her attire with a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Marteney is a graduate of Parsons High School in 1945 and is now employed as a clerk in the Lambert Grocery store in Parsons.

Mr. Marteney, a graduate of Elkins High School, spent several years in the army, 18 months of which was on overseas duty with the rating of first lieutenant. He is now a student at Davis and Elkins College where he is studying Civil Engineering. They will reside for the present in Parsons.

**Woman Breaks Hip**

Mrs. Kate Kalar, 70, wife of Spence Kalar, Porterwood, is a patient in a local hospital from injuries she received when she tripped over a rug at her home on Sunday evening. X-Rays revealed she had received a fracture of the left leg above the knee and is the second time that leg has been broken.

**Pennington Child Dies**

Funeral services were conducted at the Greenlief Funeral Home in Parsons for Emma Lee Pennington, seven weeks-old daughter of Harry and Alma Kelley Pennington who died from a heart ailment.

She was born December 31, 1946 and is survived by her parents and the following brothers and sisters, Iona, Douglas, Berdett, Sharon, Delbert and Larry, all at home. Her maternal grandfather, William Kelley of Arlington, Va., and her paternal grandfather, Robert Pennington, Parsons.

Rev. Harold D. Shiflet, pastor of the Parsons Presbyterian Church, officiated and interment was made in the Parsons cemetery.

**Parsons Man Dies**

Samuel Rowe, a farmer of near Tunnelton until three years ago when he moved to Parsons to reside with his daughter, Mrs. Russell Hebb, died at the Tucker County Hospital Sunday where he had been a patient since Wednesday. He had been ill for several weeks.

He was born, March 6, 1866 in New Castle, England, and came to the states when just a small child.

His wife, the former Nora LaVerna Plum, died 18 years ago. Surviving include the following children, Mrs. Mary Mullenaux of Wallace, Mrs. Anna Ward of Gauley Bridge, Mrs. Nora Nicholson of Salem, Mrs. Isabelle McGinnis of Tunnelton, Mrs. Russell Hebb of Parsons, William Rowe of Parsons, Willard Rowe of Oakland, Md., Samuel Rowe, Jr., of Philadelphia, Pa., and Pierce Rowe of West Alexandria, Pa.

He was a member of the Parsons Presbyterian church. The body has been returned to Tunnelton for services and interment.

**Taxi Service Sold**

The Twinkle Twin Taxi service organized here two years ago by Phil and Jack Griffith of Hambletons, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Griffith and both ex-servicemen changed hands this week when it was purchased by Fielding Kyer, Parsons, at an undisclosed price. Mr. Kyer, state game protector for Tucker County, will not leave his present position and the management will remain as before.

Gen. Don Diego de Vargas marched up the Rio Grande in 1692 to reclaim New Mexico for the Spanish.

# Citizenship Award Will Be Given By Ridgeley Lions

The Ridgeley Lions Club formulated plans for inaugurating an annual award at Ridgeley High School and participation in the playground activities, at the dinner meeting Monday night, at the Golden Gate Restaurant.

E. B. Spiker presided and appointed committees for both projects.

The "Citizenship Award" was voted to be given annually to the outstanding boy or girl student for sportsmanship and all around grades. The award will begin this year. The Education committee will be in charge of the award. It comprises James Preaskorn, George Justice and Paul Morgan.

George Edenhart was named chairman of the committee to meet jointly with the Knobley Post American Legion, Ridgeley P-TA and Ridgeley Volunteer Fire Company to plan activities for the playground this summer. Other members of his committee are Lewis Kinsmore and Aden Everstine. The group will meet early in March.

Melvin Helskell, chairman, of the Sight Conservation and Blind Work committee, reported two children in the vicinity of Ridgeley will be examined March 14, and if necessary will be fitted with glasses. Supplying glasses is the principal project of the club.

## Protest Sales Tax

Officials of District 16, United Mine Workers of America, have sent telegrams to Governor Lane and members of the Allegany and Garrett county delegations protesting the passage of the proposed sales tax. The telegrams asserted such a tax would affect the low income wage earners out of proportion to other citizens and declared there were other means of collecting taxes besides "taking food out of the mouths of many children."

# GETS MOVIE JOB AT 73, BUT NEVER HAD SEEN A FILM

AP Newsfeatures

Lorenzo Russell, 73, Utah farmer, has never seen a motion picture, but he's in one. When Joel McCrea and Veronica Lake arrived in his "ghost town" of Grafton to shoot the United Artists' film, "Ramrod," they gave Russell a job as an extra. The only time he had left his town was for a short trip in the mountains.

## Car Balks; Driver Injured Slightly

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Glenn Greenwood's balky car gave him a pain in the neck today.

When it wouldn't start, he opened the door by the driver's seat, got halfway out, and pushed. The car door caught against the side of the garage and pinned him—by the neck.

Neighbors freed him, suffering slightly from shock but otherwise unhurt.

## Carloadings Increase

Carloads handled by the Baltimore and Ohio during the week ended February 22, 1947, totaled 63,284, made up of 39,555 loaded on line and 23,729 received from connections. During the same week of last year the total was 59,238, consisting of 36,943 loaded on line and 22,295 received from connections. During the preceding week (the week ended February 15), the total was 62,446, including 38,965 loaded on line and 23,481 received from connections.

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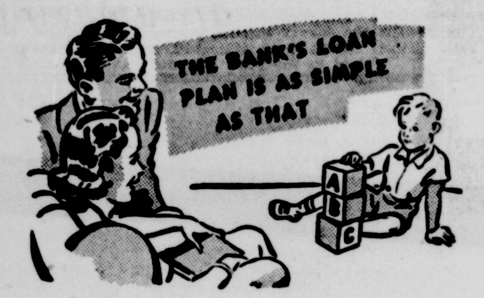


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# Manufacture Of Building Brick Is Started In Factory At Mt. Savage

## Many Veterans Are Employed In Plant

The Mt. Savage Refractories Company, recently put into operation a modern plant for the manufacture of red and buff building brick and drain tile, again making the manufacture of brick the leading industry in the community.

The refractories company replaces the Union Mining Company, which in 1847 took over the industry from the Maryland and New York Iron and Coal Company which was established in St. Savage in 1837. It was this company that manufactured the first steel rail in the United States in 1843.

The history of fire clay mining dates back to 1839 when a seam of fire clay was discovered in the mountains above the town. After considerable experimental work, the manufacture of brick from this supply seam began. Prior to that time brick for the blast furnaces were imported from England.

**Town's Major Industry**

However, for many years the manufacture of brick was a secondary industry, used solely as an auxiliary in the manufacture of the steel rail. When the blast furnaces stopped functioning in the middle of the 19th century, the brick industry stepped into first place in the town's means of employment. Over a period of many years it held that distinction then it gradually began to decline and Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad Company shops, roundhouse, freight and track employment began to dominate the town's industry.

With the purchase of the C & P by the Western Maryland Railway Company, most of the local employment ceased, and the refractories company, with a greater producing capacity than ever before has again moved into first place and has saved the town from being without a major industry.

The new plant is modern in every respect, being entirely equipped with all the latest machinery used in the manufacture of face brick. A large gyratory crusher and pan type grinders, with automatic feeds are employed in disintegrating the raw products. The crushed materials then pass through a de-airing, brick-making machine and are loaded on cars to be burned in a continuous tunnel kiln. The bricks are then palletized and the finished product is loaded into cars for shipment. Unlike the first brick manufactured here, there is no local market for the brick today, and they are shipped to all parts of the country.

**Make 3,000,000 Per Month**

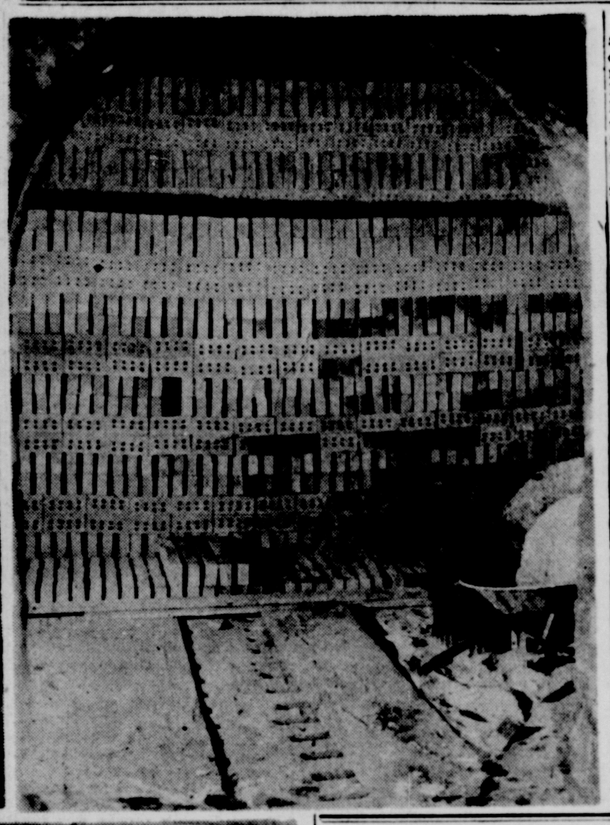
The different types of brick being made in the local plant include first and second quality fire brick; Mattex, Vertex and Smooth face red building brick; Mattex, Vertex and Smooth face buff building brick; forest blend brick; hollow tile for backing up and complete wall construction, and drain tile.

The production of the plant now reaches 3,000,000 brick per month a far cry from the top production of the original brick plant which was 100,000 brick per month. Approximately 150 men are employed at the plant, over 50% of them veterans of World War II.

According to Walter E. Blank, general manager of the company, the wage scale at the plant is among the highest in the nation and it ranks first in the state of Maryland.

The plant should prove a great help in the present G. I. home building program as it is a source of supply for vitally needed materials for all types of construction.

Blank himself served in the Navy during the war and prior to his entrance into the armed forces completed a course in the manufacture of brick in Jackson, Ohio. Company offices are located in Mt. Savage, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Boston, New York and Pittsburgh.



**USING NEW METHODS**—The latest type of modern machinery for making brick was recently installed in the Mt. Savage Refractories Company plant and is now in operation. At top left, Ted Lancaster, Mt. Savage, is shown operating one of the latest "dry press" machines. This machine is used to press moisture out of green brick and when the brick go through the machine they are completely dry and are ready to go from the machine into the kiln. Under the old process bricks had to be "dried out" before they could be put into the kiln for cooking. A hand fired kiln, (filled with brick), is shown at the upper right. As can be seen in the picture the bricks are perforated. Through experimental work it was discovered that the sidewalls of the perforated brick do not crack as easily as solid brick. The bottom picture shows the new automatic continuous kiln at the right, while at the left can be seen a conveyor loaded with brick. The conveyor carries the bricks through the continuous kiln and come out a finished product. Recently put into operation the automatic kiln is turning out 80,000 bricks per day.

## Global Cramming

MISSOULA, Mont., (AP)—Montana State University officials have a better idea about this "one world" business after receiving a letter from a woman in Weisbaden, Germany, asking about correspondence courses for her two sons, one in Germany, the other en route to Europe from Japan. The youths both graduated from high school in Santa Barbara, Calif.

## It Pays To Buzz Advertising Field

FALLS CITY, Neb., (AP)—Much to his sorrow, a Falls City man learned that newspaper advertising brings results.

The man allegedly moved out of the county without paying a bill.

Some time afterward, he advertised in the Falls City Journal saying he was back in the county with a buzz saw to do some wood cutting.

The creditor was his first customer, arriving with a threat to attach the saw if the operator didn't pay. The man paid.

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THIRTEEN

## St. David's Day Will Be Marked By Program, Tea

### Frostburg Church Plans Event Friday

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, Feb. 25—In observance of St. David's Day, the Pioneer Club of the Mt. Zion Welsh Baptist Memorial Church will entertain with a program and tea, open to the public, on Friday at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Marian Skidmore will be in charge of the program, which will include two choral selections, "Men of Harlech" and "Jesus Lover of My Soul"; a violin solo by Miss Datha Thomas; a vocal duet by Emma Jean Lewis and Dolores Bean; a Welsh solo by Mrs. W. D. Reese; selections by a quartet composed of Sarah Jane Davis, Mary Beth Davis, Betty Ann Hanna and Marian Skidmore.

Reading by Joshua Davis; solo by Mrs. Alvinia Cole; solo by Stella Mae Syckes; Welsh solo by Rev. W. D. Reese, and the Welsh national anthem by Mrs. Reese. Following the program, a Welsh tea will be held in the church annex.

Rev. Mr. Reese also announced yesterday that a series of nation-wide radio broadcasts of Welsh music and talks has been scheduled in observance of St. David's Day, which falls on March 1. St. David is the patron saint of Wales.

On Saturday, March 1, a program will be presented over the Mutual Broadcasting System from 2:30 to 3 p. m., featuring the Cambrian Male Chorus of Cleveland.

G. A. Price, president of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation of Pittsburgh, will give a talk over the National Broadcasting Company's network from 5 to 5:30 p. m. the same day, with music by the Cymric Mixed Chorus of New York, Rhys Morgan conducting.

The Cities Service program on Friday from 8 to 8:30 p. m. will include three Welsh numbers, and on Sunday from 11:30 a. m. until noon over the Columbia network the Tabernacle Choir of Salt Lake City will present a Welsh program.

**Mrs. Hutchinson Dies**

Mrs. Clara Downey Hutchinson, 57, widow of John C. Hutchinson, died Monday night at her home in Edinburg, Va., after being in failing health for several years. A daughter of the late Joseph W. and Lucy E. Downey, Mrs. Hutchinson is survived by two children, Jack Hutchinson and Mrs. Grace Carter, both of Edinburg, and a brother, William W. Downey, Frostburg.

Prior to her marriage, Mrs. Hutchinson spent several summers in Frostburg.

**Frostburg Native Dies**

Word has been received here that Samuel Coleman, 69, a native of Frostburg, died February 6 in a Pittsburgh hospital. He was a son of the late Lewis J. and Julia Coleman and was the husband of the late Mrs. Allie Parker Coleman.

He is survived by two daughters, John H. Coleman, this city, is a brother and the last surviving member of a family of 12 children. Funeral services were held in Pittsburgh.

**Attend Concert**

Among the Frostburgers who went to Hagerstown to hear the concert given by John Charles Thomas were Mrs. Eva Clark Kemp and Mrs. Nellie Connor Rizer, both now residents of Cumberland. Mrs. Clark, widow of Charles Kemp, cousin of Thomas, was married on the yacht of the internationally known singer. Thomas appeared at the Maryland Theater, Hagerstown, in connection with a presentation of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "Pinafore," by the Baltimore Civic Opera Company.

**Six Fires Reported**

The Frostburg Fire Department responded to six alarms last week. Five were minor blazes and the other fire, at the Glover residence, Finzel, completely destroyed the home. The local fires, included a grass fire at the Sleeman residence, Mt. Pleasant street, and flue fires at the Morton property, Broadway, Meeks residence, Hill street; Skidmore property, Center street and Bittner property, Grant street.

**Frostburg Briefs**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hunter, 24 West Loo Street, announce the birth of a daughter Sunday in Miners Hospital.

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## Ethel Smith Rites Held In Meyersdale

By W. A. SHOEMAKER

MEYERSDALE, Pa., Feb. 25 — Rites for Mrs. Ethel May Smith, 23, Meyersdale, who died Saturday afternoon at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, where she underwent an operation the past week, were held at 2 p. m. today at the Smith home on Cherry Street, Meyersdale, Rev. C. H. Laird, pastor of the Avenue Church of the Nazarene officiating. Interment was made in the Union Cemetery.

Mrs. Smith was born May 14, 1923, in Summit township, a daughter of William and Edith (Smith) Crissey. Surviving are her parents; her husband, Jesse L. Smith; brothers and sisters—James and Harry Crissey, Baltimore, Md.; John Crissey, Meyersdale; Lincoln Crissey, Lock Haven; Elmer Crissey, Fort Hill; William Crissey, at home; Eleanor, Rose and Catherine Crissey, all at home.

**Heffley Infant Dies**

Franklin Pierce Heffley, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Heffley, died Saturday at Hazel McGilvery Hospital here.

**Brief Items**

Mrs. John H. Blocher, accompanied by her husband, and son, Lynn, left yesterday for Cleveland, Ohio, where Mrs. Blocher will enter the Cleveland Clinic for observation and treatment, while Lynn, will enter a school to take up the study to become a mortican and funeral director. During the time that the latter is pursuing his studies his wife will remain with her parents in Georgia.

Word received from James B. Hummel, who with Mrs. Hummel, left a week ago to spend until mid-April in Florida, states that they are now comfortably established in their home in Miami, which was erected during the past year. He is now busily engaged in preparing the lawn and surroundings, and has also started garden making.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Frease, who spent the past 10 days visiting their friends and relatives in this their former home town left yesterday for Akron, Ohio, where Mr. Frease has for a number of years been connected with one of the prominent rubber concerns of that city.

**Personals**

Dr. J. W. Wenzel, formerly of Meyersdale, now practicing medicine in Oakland, is the guest of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Wenzel, Salisbury street.

Miss Mary Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baldwin, who underwent an appentectomy at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

Miss Roberta Koontz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koontz, a student at Susquehanna University, Selinsgrove, spent the past several days visiting her parents and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Milton A. Fike had as her guest the past week her daughter, Mrs. Fred Bloom, Cumberland.

Mrs. Bruce Fike, who spent the past two weeks visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Price, at Silver Spring, Md., has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bittner, Wellersburg, spent the past few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Weimer.

## Mrs. Sarah E. Adams Dies In Crellin

OAKLAND, Feb. 25—Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Adams, 81, wife of the late P. K. Adams, Crellin merchant, died in her sleep today at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Ashby, in Crellin.

She was born April 9, 1865, near Rowlesburg, W. Va., a daughter of Mrs. Charles Jackson Roy and Lavenia Mason Roy. She was married to Peter K. Adams on June 22, 1884. To this union were born Emory, Addie, Duncan, Cread and Tona. The latter died in infancy and both Duncan and her husband preceded her in death in 1939.

She was a lifelong member of the Crellin Methodist church where she taught a Sunday School class for 25 years. She was one of Crellin's oldest residents.

Surviving are the following children, Emory W. Adams, of Oakland; Mrs. Stanley Ashby, Crellin; Cread L. Adams, Harlingen, Texas; also one sister, Mrs. Laura Adams, Waynesboro, Pa., and one brother, Thomas Roy, Mt. Lake Park; 17 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. Three brothers, Richard Roy, Joshua Roy, Mt. Lake Park, and Charles Roy of Aurora, W. Va., also preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Crellin Church on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Rev. Lantz Anderson and Rev J. E. Johnson officiating. Interment will be in the Terra Alta cemetery, Terra Alta, W. Va.

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## Fourth Anniversary To Be Observed By Mt. Savage Lions

By MRS. ROSE O'ROURKE

MT. SAVAGE, Feb. 25 — The fourth charter night dinner of the Mt. Savage Lions Club will be held in the parish house at St. George's Episcopal Church Thursday night at 7 o'clock.

The affair will be in the form of a Ladies Night celebration, and various entertainment will be provided. The main feature on the program will be travelogue motion pictures, which will be presented by Prof. Ivan Diehl, Frostburg.

In the four years since its organization, the local Lions Club has participated in every civic activity for the benefit of the community. Members have accomplished extensive work among underprivileged boys and girls and are endeavoring to have a local playground complete in the near future. Edward Conway served as first president of the group.

**Observe Anniversary**

Old Rail Post, No. 6025 Veterans of Foreign Wars, celebrated the first anniversary of its organization, Monday night, at a buffet supper at the VFW home, Main street. Impromptu talks were given by members.

Since its organization a year ago, the club has become prominent in civic affairs. The club rooms were opened July 7, and aside from the usual activities a weekly teen age club is sponsored, meeting every Monday night from 9 until 11 o'clock, and also a club for younger children is organized and meets from 7 until 9 o'clock on Monday evenings.

An athletic program has been inaugurated for the young men of the community and a basketball team plays in the Interstate Basketball League. The veterans hold a three-year lease on the local baseball diamond and have urged the participation of local nines in various leagues. The diamond is always kept in good playing condition.

They have sponsored affairs for the benefit of the Mt. Savage Ambulance fund and the March of Dimes. A folding wheel chair was purchased by the post for use of the community.

Dances are held every Saturday night and every other Wednesday night. Continual improvements are being made to the club rooms by the post members.

**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mulligan announce the birth of a son yesterday at Miners Hospital, Frostburg. Mrs. Mulligan is the former Miss Jane Gallagher.

Mrs. H. Bennett and her father, Charles Carabine, have returned to Washington after attending funeral services for Joseph Carabine.

Mrs. Harry Turley is critically ill in Allegany Hospital, Cumberland, where she was taken yesterday.

John Green, Mt. Savage, is a patient in Miners Hospital, Frostburg, suffering with rheumatic fever.

## Miss Edna Ashby Becomes Bride Of R. E. Crumbaugh

By LUKE McDOWELL

KEYSER, W. Va., Feb. 25—Miss Edna Louise Ashby and Robert E. Crumbaugh were married in Grace Methodist Church, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, with Rev. H. S. Myerly, pastor of the church, performing the ceremony with the use of the double ring service.

Miss Sarah Jane Ashby, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Lawrence Fout was best man.

Mrs. Crumbaugh is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas Ashby, New Creek. She is a graduate of Keyser High School and Potomac State School and has been employed in the office of the Cumberland Gas Company, Keyser. Mr. Crumbaugh is the son of R. E. Crumbaugh, McMullan Highway. He is now a student at Potomac State School. He served four years in the United States Marines.

They will reside in one of the recently completed housing units on the Potomac State campus.

**Meeting Is Called**

Mineral county livestock producers will assemble in the Burlington school house at 6:30 p. m., Tuesday, March 4, for a dinner meeting. The dinner will be served by the Burlington Farm Women's Club. J. E. Prettyman, county agent, urges all livestock producers in the county to plan to attend, and asks that dinner reservations be sent in promptly.

Immediately following the dinner there will be discussions of the livestock production program in the state and particularly in Mineral county. The chief speaker will be Benj. F. Creech, Morgantown, animal husbandryman, West Virginia University.

The production of livestock in Mineral County has increased rapidly in the past few years until it is now looked upon as one of the leading counties of the state in that industry.

**Attend Meeting**

Thirty members of Mount Olive Rebakah Lodge and Queens Point Lodge IOOF attended the Tri-State Past Grands Association at Chapel Hill Lodge, Cumberland, Monday night. The trip to Cumberland was made by chartered bus.

**Personals**

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Corbin of Keyser, in Potomac Valley Hospital.

Others admitted to the hospital are Hampton Metcalfe, Ridgeville; Miss Rosalie Eye, Old Fields; James Loy, Piedmont; Reuben L. Kile, Upper Tract, and George Streets, Elk Garden.

James A. Dixon, Mineral county sheriff, who was a surgical patient in Potomac Valley Hospital, has returned to his home at Sulphur, where he is recuperating.

The history of the horse shows it as one of the world's most curious animals. Its gradual change from a tiny many-toed animal, to one that walks on the end of a single toe, is without parallel.

## Joseph N. Beaman Dies In Hospital In Cumberland

By MARIE MERRBACH

LONACONING, Feb. 25—Joseph Nicol Beaman, 53, husband of Edith Lucetta Phillips Beaman, Robbins street, a veteran of World War I, died Monday night at 10:50 o'clock in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, where he had been a patient since December 27, 1946. He had been ill for three weeks at his home before he entered the hospital.

Mr. Beaman operated his restaurant, "Joe's Place," on Union street, until his serious illness. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion and the Junior Order, United American Mechanics. He was a native of Lisingring, Pa., the son of the late George and Rebecca Cook Beaman.

Besides his widow, there are three daughters and a son surviving. They are Mrs. Evelyn Johnson, Moscow; Misses Anna Mae and Dorothea, and Joseph Jr., at home. Three grandchildren survive. A sister, Mrs. Mary Wilson, Lonaconing, and a brother, Roy, Chicago, survive.

The body will be at the home on Robbins street, where funeral services will be held.

**Will Show Slides**

Eighty-two colored slides on "The Gospel in India" will be shown at 8:30 p. m. at the First Presbyterian Church as a special program following the Sunday evening service, Rev. C. H. Goshorn, pastor, announced today.

This special showing of the slide films is sponsored by the Women's Missionary Society of the church.

**Service Is Planned**

At the Lenten service this Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the First Methodist Church, Rev. C. H. Goshorn, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will be guest speaker.

Special music will be presented at this service by the quartet from the Young People's choir.

**Brief Mention**

The Missionary class of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will not hold its meeting this Wednesday afternoon. The meeting will be postponed until next week.

"If I Had My Way," starring Bing Crosby was shown at the San Toy theater Tuesday evening as a benefit for the First Presbyterian Church. A large crowd attended.

Lonaconing was without street lights for approximately two hours Monday midnight when high winds caused a breakage in the power line. The Potomac Edison company trucks worked continuously with spotlights on their trucks examining the lines before the service was restored.

Ervin Lewis, chairman of the Lonaconing Red Cross war fund drive, will conduct the initial meeting for all Red Cross workers and persons interested in aiding with the fund drive this year, at the Red Cross room, Main street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Miss Anne Sloan is in Baltimore where she will attend several conferences the next few days.

A skating party will be held by the VFW Teen-Agers at the Crystal Park on Thursday, February 27. The bus will leave at 6:30 o'clock from in front of Mashall's confectionery, Main street.

Goodwill Volunteer Fire Company was summoned at 2:30 a. m. Tuesday to aid in fighting the fire at the American Legion home in Westernport.

## Three Found Guilty In Fracas On Bus

SOMERSET, Pa., Feb. 25 — One man pleaded guilty to charges of aggravated assault and battery and two others to charges of disorderly conduct when arraigned here yesterday before Justice of Peace Charles J. Harrison.

The charges grew out of a fracas on a Blue Ridge bus Saturday when a Meyersdale man was injured.

State Police of the Somerset substation arrested Ezra Nicholas, Robert G. Newsom, and William E. Newsom, all of Unamis, Addison Township, after Frank Prolazzi, Meyersdale, was sent to Hazel McGilvery Hospital, with a severe cut and an open artery on his head.

Prolazzi was hit on the head by a whisky bottle wielded by one of the trio as the bus was enroute from Pittsburgh to Addison. Nine stitches were required to close the wound.

Robert Newsom pleaded guilty to the aggravated assault and battery charges and was committed to Somerset county jail in default of $1,000 bond. Ezra Nicholas and William Newsom were fined $10 and costs for disorderly conduct. The latter was committed to the county jail for 30 days in default of fine.

According to police Nicholas and the two Newsom brothers became loud and boisterous during the bus ride. Prolazzi tried to quiet them and it was reported that the men then became abusive.

Police also listed Mrs. Maud Crank, Pittsburgh, as being injured in the melee. She was found unconscious when the bus arrived in Hagerstown, Md., Saturday night. It was understood Mrs. Crank also suffered head injuries.

The trio, all employed at the Summit Lumber Company got off the bus at Addison, where state police picked them up.

John Deere, village blacksmith of Grand Detour, Ill., made the first steel plow in 1837.

## Legion Post Home In Westernport Gutted By Flames

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, Feb. 25 — J. Estell Kenny, commander of Victory Post No. 155, American Legion, estimated tonight that the fire which gutted the two-story frame Post home on Main street early today caused damage of between $10,000 and $12,000 to Legion furnishings and equipment.

Mrs. Norris Repp, Main Street, owner of the building, estimated damage to the structure at about $5,000. Both said the loss was partly covered by insurance. Cause of the blaze has not been determined. Mrs. Repp said she will probably remodel the building. The outside walls are standing but the interior is gutted.

Kenny stated that the Legion had occupied the building for over three years and that Howard Blackburn, John Thomas and Patrick Mayhew, employes, had inspected the building before closing at 11:45 p. m. and found no evidence of fire.

The fire, which originated in the vicinity of a second floor bathroom in the two-story frame building, was discovered at 1:15 a. m. by John Wills, Railroad street, World War II veteran and a member of the Potomac Fire Company, who saw the blaze from his home.

Seven volunteer fire companies fought the fire for nearly five hours and deserve much praise for confining it to the Legion home. There is only about one foot between it and the Michael Laughlin and Walter Miller's buildings. Neither was damaged.

Fire companies fighting the blaze were the Goodwill Fire Company of Lonaconing; Barton Fire Company; Bloomington Fire Company; Luke Fire Company and Potomac Fire Company No. 2 of Westernport; Beryl, W. Va., Fire Company and Tri-Towns Fire Company No. 1 of Piedmont, W. Va.

Walter Riley, Westernport, a member of Potomac Fire Company, suffered a bruised knee when struck by a hose. He and Kenny Harrison were descending a ladder and Riley was below Harrison when the hose struck his knee.

The building was erected in 1872 by the late J. F. Jamesson and for a number of years was operated under the name of Westernport Mercantile Company as a general store. The building was gutted by fire in February, 1936, when the first floor was occupied by the American Store and an apartment was on the second floor. When it was remodeled the third floor, occupied by Black Hawk Tribe No. 131, Improved Order of Red Men, as a lodge room, was removed.

Kenny stated no location for a new Legion home has been considered.

**No Curfew Recommended**

At a meeting of the Mayors and Councils of Piedmont, W. Va., Luke and Westernport, held last night at the Piedmont council chamber with Mayor J. Milton McIntyre of Westernport, presiding, it was decided that a curfew law was not necessary in the Tri-Towns.

It was agreed that the present ordinances on the statute books of the communities are adequate and that police will be instructed if they find children loitering on the streets late at night to order them home. It was also pointed out that parents are responsible for the acts of their children.

There has been no serious juvenile problem in the Tri-Towns, it was stated.

Others attending the meeting were Mayor Harold Fredlock, Eugene W. Paxton, John Ward, E. J. Cheshire, William Davis and Charles L. Davis, members of the Piedmont City Council; Dr. Lewis F. Engle, George C. Cleaver, and George Kight of the Westernport City Council and Officers Joseph Wilkes of Luke and James Harrison and Thomas Walsh.

**Announce Marriage**

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Fike, 74 East Hampshire Street, Piedmont, W. Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth Virginia, to Frank Walker, Jr., son of Mrs. Lester Sager, 39 Paxton Street, Piedmont. The double-ring ceremony was performed Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Church of the Brethren, Westernport, by Rev. Arthur Scrogum, Cumberland.

Preceding the ceremony Russell F. DeVore, Westernport, sang "O Perfect Love" and "I Love You Truly", accompanied by Ralph E. Fike, Westernport, brother of the bride, who also played the traditional wedding music.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of cream satin with full marquisette skirt and matching headdress, and carried an arm bouquet of white carnations with satin showers.

The bride's only attendant, Mrs. Joseph Callio, Atlantic City, N. J., wore a gown of pale blue chiffon with matching headdress and carried an arm bouquet of pink carnations.

Charles Mitter, Bloomington, Md., was Mr. Walker's best man and Brydon DeWitt, brother-in-law of the bride, was usher.

The bride's mother wore navy blue with matching accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home,

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Chauncey Jerome was a noted American clockmaker who originated the one-day brass clock movement which enormously increased the clock business and opened a market for American clocks in Europe. Jerome was born in Canaan, Conn., in 1793.

## Mrs. Hugh Kelley Dies At Home At Purgitsville

By MYRTLE PARK

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 25.—Mrs. Hugh P. Kelley, 84, of Purgitsville, W. Va., died early Monday morning at her home after a lingering illness of several months. The funeral will be held Thursday at 10:30 a. m. at the Bethel Church. Interment will be at the Lahmansville cemetery about 1 o'clock. Mrs. Kelley was the mother of 13 children and three preceded her in death.

The surviving relatives are her husband, Hugh P. Kelley, Purgitsville, W. Wa., and the following children: Miss Marie Kelley and Preston Kelley, Jurgitsville; Charles Kelley, Palmyra, Pa.; Arlie Kelley, Gettysburg, Pa.; Mrs. Scott Reynolds, Alexandria, Va.; Mrs. Emma Rotruck, Purgitsville; Mrs. Jesse Arnold, Petersburg; Mrs. Artie Droege, Cumberland; Mrs. Eston Wilkins, Purgitsville, and Mrs. James McCoole, Keyser.

She was born near Lahmansville, a daughter of the late Archibald Rexroad and Margaret Hoover Rexroad, and was a member of the United Brethren church.

**Fire Destroys Building**

Fire yesterday morning destroyed a large block storage and truck storage building belonging to the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company owned by O. R. Oates and H. E. J. Oates on Mountain View street with a loss of merchandise and damage to the large building of $10,000 with only partly civered by insurance. The Petersburg Volunteer Fire Company fought the blaze for three hours in the zero weather and ice froze on their clothing as they stood and fought the fire. Traffic was rerouted for three hours around by Grove street off North Main street.

**Store Is Robbed**

The store belinging to O. M. Smith on South Main street was broken into Sunday night and the entrance was made through a window and merchandise taken. No arrests have been made but the theft is being investigated by local authorities, and state police.

A pickup truck belonging to O. S. Kimble who owns and operates the Firestone store here on Water street was stolen from the alley beside the store Sunday night. No arrests have been made but the matter is being investigated by local authorities and the state police.

**Personals**

Esmond Taylor and C. H. Park will return from Chicago today where they have been attending the National Cement Association meeting for one week.

Mr. and Mrs Paul Hines have returned from visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDonald, Moorefield.

The Maysville school bus which comes through the Ridges yesterday was unable to make the trip because of snow drifts and came in over State Route 42 yesterday morning. The road was opened by the State Roads Commission Saturday but drifted shut over the weekend. Other county roads are open with mostly one way traffic in places. No serious accidents have been reported.

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## Ross Spends Furlough In Philippines

BAGUIO, P. I.—Technician Fifth Class Raynor C. Ross, recently spent an eleven-day furlough in Baguio, Luzon, summer capital and playground of the Philippines, as a guest of the Camp John Hay Furlough Center.

T-5 Ross attended Bruce High School in his home town, Westernport. He enlisted in the Army at Fort Meade, Md., Feb. 6, 1946, from his home town in Westernport, where his wife, Mrs. Margaret Ross, and his mother, Mrs. Mary Ross, now reside. He took basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C., and, after training, embarked June 28, 1946 for overseas service in the Philippines.

He is now stationed with the 786th Ord. LM Co., 86th Inf. Division, APO 450, where he repairs all weapons in the Armament Section.

## Kempton WSCS Presents Program

By MRS. BOYD WISE

KEMPTON, Feb. 25—Mrs. Alex J. Watring was hostess to the Woman's Society of Christian Service at her home. Mrs. Myrtle Wallwork was in charge and used the lesson "Your Master Proclaim". More than $15 was collected in dues and assessments.

A plate lunch was served by the hostess at the close of the meeting. Others attending were Mrs. E. P. Dice, Mrs. Agnes Evans, Mrs. Guy Wilson, Mrs. Robert Martin, Mrs. Harry Buckley and Mrs. Paul Carr. Mrs. Joseph Stockley.

**$200 Collected**

Alex J. Watring, who has charge of the pledge for Kempton's quota for the Retired Ministers fund, which is $288.75, announces that more than $200 has already been pledged with others to hear from.

**Personals**

Mrs. Joseph Stockley and son Robert, William Bolandis, Collingsville, Ill., and Mrs. Dorothy Stockley Sellers, St. Louis, are visiting Robert Stockley and Mrs. Myrtle Wallwork. Mrs. Joseph Stockley is a former resident, having moved from here in 1921.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Smith announce the birth of a daughter, Sara Louise, February 21 in Davis Memorial Hospital, Elkins. This is their first child.

Robert Stockley and William Bolandis are visiting friends in Shanadoah, Pa.

Mrs. Jane Blizzard, Mrs. Homer Evans, Mrs. Mary Burger and Omer Smith were visitors in Elkins, Saturday.

Ms. Lottie Hanlin, who was taken to Davis Memoial Hospital by ambulance Fiday night, after suffering an overdose of sleeping tablets, is improving.

W. J. Brall, Jr., was called to Cumberland due to the illness of his wife, Mrs. Leona Brall.

Dorsey J. Sowers and Boyd L. Wise were business visitors in Oakland Saturday.

Mike Morris is ill at his home with influenza.

William Jaburjak who returned after attending the funeral of his

mother was called home again due to the death of a sister.

## Kreyenbuhl Rites Held In Oakland

By GEORGE H. HANST

OAKLAND, Md., Feb. 25—Xavier Kreyenbuhl, 94, died Sunday morning, February 23, at 5 o'clock, at his home on the old Deer Park Road, two miles east of town. He had been active until about two weeks ago.

He was born October 11, 1853 in Bern, Switzerland, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Kreyenbuhl. He was a retired farmer and had lived on his farm near here for 40 years.

He was a member of the Catholic Church and the Holy Name Society. Surviving are two sons, Leo S. Kreyenbuhl and William C. Kreyenbuhl, Oakland; and one daughter, Mrs. Mary Klopp, Baltimore; also five grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Lena Determan, Wheeling, W. Va.; two brothers, Silas and Leopold Kreyenbuhl, Leopold, W. Va.

A funeral service was conducted this morning at 9:30 o'clock from St. Peter's Catholic Church, Oakland, with Rev. George Shipper in charge. Interment was in St. Peter's Cemetery with A. G. Hesen, Sherman White, William R. Browning, F. R. Shaffer, George Kerins and B. I. Gonder serving as pallbearers.

**Paugh Rites Held**

A funeral service was conducted Saturday for Mrs. Ida M. F. Paugh, 84, widow of Columbus Paugh, and known as "Aunt Mollie," who died February 19, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Annie Dixon, near the Bethlehem settlement. She had been ill a short time.

She was born March 4, 1863 in this county, a daughter of the late Alexander and Martha Shaffer Kitzmiller, 84. She was a member of the U. B. Church at Bethlehem.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Dixon; three grandchildren, one great grandchild and four great great grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Minnie Everetts, Danville, W. Va.; Mrs. Effie P. Thomas, Thomas, W. Va.; Mrs. Annie Cooper, Oakland; Mrs. Mollie Hooton, Deer Park; two brothers, Wayman Kitzmiller, Mt. Storm, W. Va.; and Clarence Kitzmiller, of Ohio.

Services Saturday were from the Bolden Funeral Home at 1:30 o'clock, with Rev. J. E. Johnson officiating. Interment was in the Thomas Moon Cemetery at Bethlehem.

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# Two Indictments Are Returned By Hardy Grand Jury

MOOREFIELD, W. Va., Feb. 25—The Hardy County Grand Jury retunred two indictments at the February term of court. John H. Van Meator was indicted on a felony charge with unarmed robbery. Van Meator is being held in the Petersburg jail for the next term of court. Harlan Tross, negro, was indicted on a felony and charged with the theft of an automobile belonging to Harold Dodd. On a plea of guilty, Judge H. M. Calhoun placed Tross on probation for a term of five years.

William D. Kohne was granted a divorce from Pearl Kohne.

**Marriage License Issued**

Only one application to wed was filed in Clerk C. C. Wise's office during the past week. An application was granted to Walter W. Cook and Effie Whetzel, both residents of Pendleton county.

**Marriage Is Announced**

Miss Lorraine Caplinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Caplinger, Mathias, became the bride of Leonard Fitzwater, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Fitzwater, Bergton, Va., in a ceremony performed by Rev. W. E. Canoles Saturday, February 22. The ceremony took place at the United Brethren Parsonage.

The bride wore a blue street length dress with black accessories.

At the present the young couple will reside with the bride's parents at Mathias.

**New Closing Hours**

Most of Moorefield's stores will adopt a five o'clock closing hour effective Monday, March 10. The 5 o'clock closing will be on week days and on Saturday the stores will remain open until 9. The early closing will be in effect all year except for the two weeks period preceding Christmas.

Stores signing the agreement include The Half Price Store, Coffman Fisher Co., The Firestone Store, Bennett Hardware, Acme Five to One Dollar Store, Schriver's Moorefield Auto Supply, Ward's Sport Shop, Puffenberger Jewelry Store and Mrs. Kuykendall's Gift Shop.

**Firemen Make Reports**

All the equipment at the Moorefield Volunteer Fire Company is in first class condition, according to the reports made. Chief Foster E. Arnold reported that all damaged hose and couplings had been repaired and that the town hydrants were being renovated by the town. L. R. Grover, chairman of the engine committee reported that the engine and pumper was in good working order and that the pump had been tested at the bulwarks last weekend.

The building committee reported that the measurements had been made for the constructions of a railing and steps to the balcony of the auditorium and that immediate action would be taken to repair the Town Council meeting room and a fire escape for the rear of the building.

Four members of the Petersburg Volunteer Fire Company were guests and Justin Arnold, chief of the Petersburg company made a brief talk. H. M. Mongold, vice-president of the Petersburg firemen invited Moorefield to be hosts at the next quarterly meeting of the Potomac Valley Volunteer Foremen's Association.

The Moorefield volunteer group is attempting to secure a used piano for use at the recreation room and for future entertainment at the auditorium. They request any citizen having a piano to dispose of to get in touch with any member of the company.

**Mrs. Shute Dies**

Mrs. Carrie Price Shute, 69, died in the Memorial Hospital, Winchester, early Tuesday morning as the result of a complication of diseases. Funeral services will be held this afternoon from the home of her sister, Mrs. G. W. McCauley at 3:30.

Rev. Charles Kernan, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will conduct the services and interment will be in Olivet Cemetery. The pallbearers will be Donald Baker, Howard Belt, Virgil Crites, William Wilson, Julian B. Chipley and Robert Gamble.

Mrs. Schute was a daughter of the late Richard Coale Price and Mrs. Sallie K. Price and was born in Hardy County February 6, 1878. She spent many years away from Moorefield but came back from Boston in the early part of 1934, extremely ill with arthritis, and since that time has made her home with Judge and Mrs. McCauley.

She is survived by one sister, Mrs. G. W. McCauley, and a brother, James M. Price, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Shute became a member of the Presbyterian Church in her early girlhood and continued a member of this church until her death.

**Mrs. Taylor Dies**

Relatives here received word of the death of Mrs. Mattie Huffman Taylor, 79, on Thursday, February 20 in the Salisbury, Maryland, hospital. Mrs. Taylor had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Wimbrow, since the death of her husband, Samuel Taylor, several years ago, and just recently fell, breaking her hip. She was taken to the hospital and death was due to a cerebral hemorrhage.

Mrs. Taylor was born at Elmdale, near Purgitsville, the oldest daughter of the late Elijah and Sarah Taylor Huffman. She lived at Elk Garden at one time.

She is survived by her two daughters, Mrs. Kathleen Wimbrow, and Mrs. Ethel Winfree, both of Salisbury, Md., and a son, Ralph S. Taylor, Washington, D. C. There are three grandchildren, Sarah and Raymond Winfree, and Mrs. Frank Renshaw, and a great grandson, Frank Renshaw, Jr., all of Salisbury. Three sisters, Mrs. Manessah Dasher, Moorefield; Mrs. Harry Hendrickson, Purgitsville, and Mrs. W. C. High, Moundsville, and a brother Arthur Huffman, Purgitsville, also survive.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon in Salisbury.

**Crites Funeral Held**

Edward Judy Crites, 19, died at his home near Bethel, Saturday, February 22, 1947. Burial services were held Tuesday afternoon, 2 p. m., at the Old Pine Church, Purgitsville, Rev. Charles Kernan officiating. Interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

A son of Ranson Crites and Annie E. Arnold Crites, he is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Rosalee Barr and several sisters, among whom are Miss Dulia Crites, Mrs. Joseph Miller and Mrs. Etta Michael.

**Workers Are Named**

Raymond Sindy, chairman of the Red Cross Drive for Hardy county announces a partial list of the workers in the various committees. The campaign opens on March 1.

Named this week were Mrs. Wendel Mathias, Mathias; Warren W. Harper, Durgon; Miss Nancy Keckley, Rock Oak; Mrs. J. M. Duckwall, Lost River; Mrs. John High, Purgitsville; Miss Dorothy Brill, Inkerman; Mrs. Dewey Clayton, Fort Run; Marvin Bott, Needmore; Miss Blanche Hinkle, Flats, and Mrs. W. J. Teets, Moorefield.

Additional community workers will be named next week.

Mr. Sindy emphasized that although Hardy county's quota was somewhat lower than last year it will be necessary to get memberships from citizens.

## Legion Post

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after which the couple left for a trip to Philadelphia. Upon their return they will reside in the Simmons apartments in Westernport.

Mrs. Walker is a graduate of Piedmont High School and is employed at the Luke plant of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company. Mr. Walker is a graduate of Bruce High School, Westernport, and is a veteran of three years' service with the Marine Corps. He is an employe of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company.

**Open House Planned**

The teachers and children of the children's division of the church school will hold open house at the meeting of the WSCS Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the Piedmont Trinity Methodist Church.

Mrs. Rymer Ferrell, superintendent, will give a talk on "What We Are Doing for The Children of Our Church". The three parables will be given by Margaret June Marsh, Carol Ann McConnell and Sonja Sharon. Mrs. Frank Dayton, Miss Virginia Rogers, Mrs. Clyde Wilt and Mrs. Albert Kaiser, teachers of the department, will continue a tour of the class rooms.

Mrs. Frank Dayton will conduct the devotionals. Refreshments will be served by the hospitality committee, headed by Mrs. Raymond W. Reeves.

**Named Scout Chairman**

Mrs. Raymond L. Moore, Westernport, was elected chairman of the Girl Scout committee of the Tri-Towns District, organized last Monday night at the Piedmont library. Miss "Billie" Wortman, Luke, was named vice chairman and Mrs. Carleton Bell, Piedmont, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Althea Correll, Girl Scout executive of Cumberland Council, gave a short talk. The first meeting of the Girl Scout leadership course of the Tri-Towns was held at the Piedmont library with 12 enrolling. The class, which will meet every Monday evening at 7:15 o'clock, is being taught by Mrs. Correll. Others wishing to take the course may make up last night's lesson at the next meeting.

**Brief Items**

The Kappa Delta Bible class of Trinity Methodist Church will meet Monday, March 3, at 8 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Vernon Frye, Maryland Avenue, Westernport.

The Board of Review of the Boy Scouts of the Tri-Towns District will meet Wednesday at 7 p. m. at the Odd Fellows Hall.

Troxell Miller, Paxton Street, underwent an operation in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, yesterday.

The initiatory staff of Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 16, IOOF, will hold practice after the lodge meeting Thursday night.

The Board of Review of the Boy Scouts of the Tri-Towns District will meet Wednesday at 7 p. m. at the Odd Fellows Hall.

The Westernport Girl Scout troop will meet Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

## St. David's Day

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Society of Salem Evangelical and Reformed Church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Lena M. Rizer and Miss LaVerne Martens, Washington Street.

The National Legionnaire, official publication of the American Legion, published in the February issue a list of Legion Posts of the United States with a membership of 1,000 or over. Farrady Post No. 24, Frostburg was in the list with a membership of 1,016.

Mr. and Mrs. Addie Stott, 75 East Main Street, announce the birth of a daughter Sunday in Miners Hospital.

Albert Camp, of the Allegany Ballistics Laboratory, Pinto, was received into the Frostburg Rotary Club Monday at the weekly dinner. The speaker was Arthur Roe, whose topic was "The Requirements of Today's Buyers' Market." High school guests were William Best, Robert Crump, Charles Holsinger, Francis Stowell and Earl Wilson, all of Beall High School. Dr. Paul Miller will present the program next week.

The regular monthly well-baby clinic will be held at Zihlman Community Hall on Friday, February 28, at 2 p. m. This clinic, serving infants and children of preschool age, will be attended by a physician and nurses of the Allegany County Health Department. Parents of the surrounding area are invited to bring their children for examination. There is no charge for this service.

Mt. Chapter No. 15, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet Wednesday at 8 p. m. in the Masonic Temple. The business meeting will be followed by an initiation.

**Frostburg Personals**

Rev. Patrick J. Bradley, pastor of St. Michael's Catholic Church, is home after spending two weeks in Florida.

Earl Kroll, Zihlman, is home from Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, following an operation.

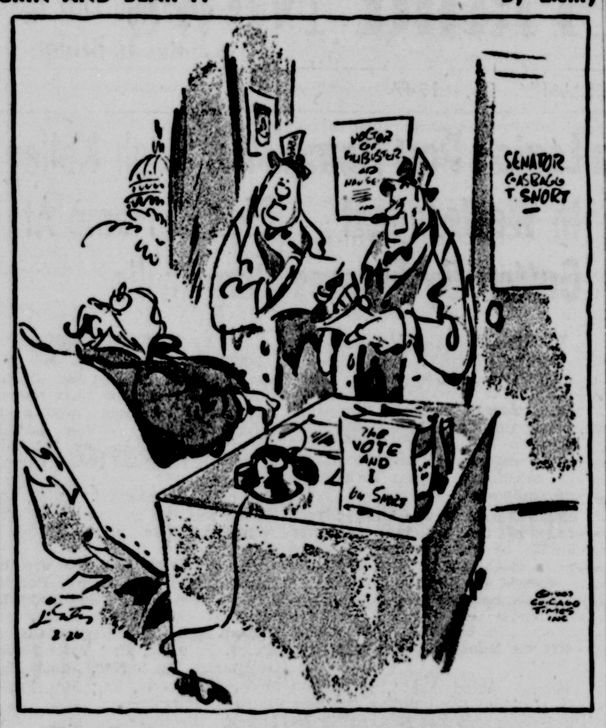
Surgical patients in Miners Hospital include Varner Carpenter, this city; Mrs. William Higgins, Vale Summit; and Miss Virginia Dickey, Frostburg.

Mrs. Carl Layman, Green Street, is a patient in Miners Hospital, where she underwent an operation Monday afternoon.

Mrs. George Richardson and infant son, 205 South Lee Street, Cumberland, are home from Miners Hospital.

Mrs. Russell Griffith and infant daughter, Clarysville, are home from Miners Hospital.

GRIN AND BEAR IT — By Lichty

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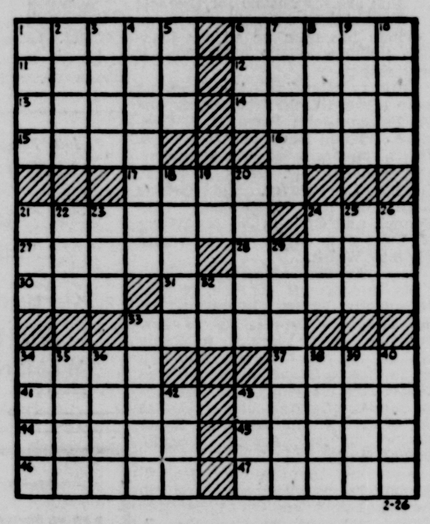
6. Smooth
11. Boring tool
12. Ire
13. Kind of rock
14. A wing (zool.)
15. State flower of Utah
16. Convulsions
17. Spacious
21. Sultan's wife
24. Self
27. Stop! (naut.)
28. Cross-barred fabric
30. Method
31. Make bigger
33. Scoff
34. Famous composer
37. Valise
41. Mistake
43. Plague
44. A landscape
45. Tropical American fiber
46. Shroud
47. City (Ger.)

4. Replies
5. Before
6. Weaken
7. Amalgamate
8. Vedic god of fire
9. An outlet
10. Epochs
18. Made of oats
19. Ahead
20. Tree
21. Observed
22. A grape (Bot.)
23. Place
24. Organ of hearing
25. Fishgig
26. Poem
29. A large gift
32. Neon (sym.)
33. Glistened
34. Diminutive of Elizabeth
35. Bow
36. American Indian
38. Rodents
39. Little island
40. Part of a hammer head
42. Soak flax
43. Bind

**DOWN**

1. Fish
2. South American linguistic stock
3. An Amalekite king (Bib.)

Yesterday's Answer



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# Stock Market Suffers Sharp Spill As Rails And Industries Take Skid

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP) — The stock market today suffered one of its sharpest spills of the year with rails and pivotal industrials tumbling 1 to more than 4 points and the high speed ticker tape falling behind for the first time in 1947.

A sluggish downward drift persisted from the opening. A flood of offerings in virtually all departments hit the list at the beginning of the final hour. Liquidation then relaxed and the pace slowed as support arrived. Extreme setbacks were reduced in the majority of cases at the close. Transfers of 1,280,000 shares compared with 810,000 Monday and were the largest since February 13.

An isolated strong spot in the backside was Norfolk & Western. This "blue chip" ran up 18 points in the wake of a 4-for-1 splitup proposal. It finished with a net gain of 14 at 248.

American Can added 1¼ at 95¾ and Sears Roebuck was up ⅝ at 38. American Telephone kept its loss to ⅛ of a point at 171⅞.

Casualties included Allied Chemical, off 4½ at 169½; Union Pacific 3½ at 128, Southern Railway 2¼ at 43¾, Sante Fe 2 at 90¾, Douglas Aircraft 2 at 70, Chrysler 1¾ at 98¾ and United States Steel 1 at 72½.

Others in the minus ranks were Bethlehem, General Motors, Goodyear, Goodrich, Montgomery Ward, International Harvester, Western Union "A," Electric Power & Light, Kennecott, American Smelting, General Electric, DuPont, Eastman Kodak, United States Gypsum, Standard Oil (NJ), N. Y. Central, Southern Pacific, Great Northern and Baltimore & Ohio.

Backward in the curb were Aluminum Ltd., Cities Service, Consolidated Steel, Middle West Corp., and Solar Aircraft (following a deferred dividend). Elgin National Watch and Jim Brown Stores showed modest improvement. Turnover here was 360,000 shares versus 250,000 yesterday.

Railroad issues dropped fractions to 2 points in the sharpest average decline since mid-January in the bond market.

United States Governments lost a little ground in the over-the-counter market with the Victory Loan Dec. 2½s of '67-'72 down 1-32 at 102 28-32 bid.

Sales totaled $3,860,000, compared with $3,092,000 Monday.

## New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP)—Stock list, today's close:

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| Air Redn | 35⅞ | Martin Gl | 33⅜ |
| Alg Corp | 4⅜ | Minn Mol | 11 |
| Al C D | 169½ | M K & T | 6¾ |
| Am Can | 95¾ | M Ward | 60¾ |
| Am C Fd | 52 | Nat Bis | 32 |
| Am Rdr | 16 | Nat Dis | 20¼ |
| Am R Mill | 34⅝ | NY Cen | 19⅜ |
| ATT | 171⅞ | Norf Wsn | 248 |
| Am Tob B | 79 | Nor Am Avn | 10 |
| Am W Wks | 17 | Ohio Oil | 22¼ |
| Anaconda | 40½ | Owens Ill Gl | 75¼ |
| Armour | 14⅛ | Pack Mtrs | 7 |
| Avn Corp | 6½ | Pan Amn Air | 13⅞ |
| B and O | 14¾ | Paramt | 27¾ |
| Bendix | 37 | Pa RR | 25 |
| Beth Stl | 93¾ | Philip Morris | 36⅛ |
| Boe Airp | 21¾ | Plym Oil | 22 |
| Budd Co | 13⅝ | Poor & Co | 16¼ |
| Celan | 19 | Prsd Stl Car | 14⅝ |
| C and O | 50⅞ | Pullman | 59 |
| Chrys | 98¾ | Pur Oil | 22⅛ |
| Col G E | 11 | Rad Crp | 9⅜ |
| Com Solv | 23⅞ | Rep Stl | 29 |
| Comw Sou | 3⅝ | R Tob B | 41⅞ |
| Con Ed | 28¼ | Srs Roe | 38 |
| Cont Mtrs | 11¼ | Soc Vac | 14⅜ |
| Cont Oil | 37¾ | Sou Pac | 43⅞ |
| Curt Wr | 5⅞ | Sper Crp | 23⅜ |
| Doug Air | 70 | Sta Br | 36½ |
| duPont | 190 | SO Ind | 39¾ |
| Elau Lite | 62¼ | SO NJ | 65½ |
| Firest | 59 | Studebaker | 22¾ |
| Gen El | 37⅛ | Tidew Oil | 19 |
| Gen Fds | 42⅝ | Timk RB | 49½ |
| Gen Mtrs | 60⅝ | Twent Cent | 35½ |
| Goodrich | 69½ | Un Carbide | 98¼ |
| Goodyr | 59 | Un Airc | 18½ |
| Grhm Pf | 4¾ | United Carbon | 76½ |
| Gt N Pfd | 46¾ | United Corp | 3⅞ |
| Greyhnd | 33⅝ | US Rubber | 57½ |
| Int N Can | 33⅜ | US St | 74½ |
| Int T & T | 15⅜ | Warner Bros | 16¾ |
| Intst Dept | 24⅝ | Wes Md | 6¾ |
| Kenn Cop | 46¼ | West Elec | 26⅞ |
| Kroger | 47¼ | Yng S T | 68¼ |
| LOF Gl | 54⅞ | | |

## Chicago Grains

CHICAGO, Feb. 25 (AP) — Heavy profit cashing in the closing hour of trading in the grain futures market today reduced prices from their best levels, but not until new highs for the season had been reached in all deliveries except May wheat and the nearby contracts of oats and corn.

Closing futures:

WHEAT—March 2.37½-2.38½, May 2.27-2.27¼, July 2.06-1.07, September 2.00.

CORN—March 1.43¾-⅝, May 1.42⅝-¾, July 1.41½-¾, September 1.39¾-1.40.

OATS—March 80-80⅜, May 75¾-76, July 68⅝-¾, September 66½-¾.

BARLEY—March 1.25½.

LARD — July 29.95, September 29.62, November 25.00.

No wheat.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 1.50; No. 3 yellow, 1.45¼-1.49; No. 4 yellow, 1.40½-1.43; No. 5 yellow, 1.38; sample grade yellow, 1.18¾-1.26½; No. 5 white, 1.45.

OATS—No. 1 heavy mixed, 89½-90; No. 1 heavy white, 90½; No. 1 white, 88¾-89¼; No. 1 sample red, 91.

BARLEY—Nominal: malting, 1.45 - 1.87; feed, 1.15-1.35.

FIELD SEED—Per hundredweight nominal: red clover, 43.00-47.00; sweet clover, 11.50-13.00; red top, 17.50-18.50; timothy seed, 7.40-7.75.

## Position Of Treasury

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 — (AP) — The position of the treasury Feb. 21:

Receipts, $152,646,760.01; expenditures, $91,815,010.15; balance, $5,969,428,783.91; customs receipts for month, $26,873,488.25; receipts fiscal year July 1, $25,860,637,562.38; expenditures fiscal year, $23,755,301,525.68; excess of receipts, $2,105,336,036.70; total debt, $259,506,109,559.83; increase over previous day, $26,311,876.34; gold assets, $20,775,109,319.12.

## New York Poultry

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—Eggs 38,029, steady.

New York, spot quotations follow: (Based on wholesale sales by receivers to jobbers and large retailers).

Whites: Extra fancy heavyweight 45-46.5; extras 1 and 2 large 44-45; extras 1 and 2 medium 43.

Butter 1,327,807; irregular. Wholesale prices on bulk cortons. Creamery, higher than 92 score and premium marks (AA) 73-73.5; 92 score (A) 72.25; 90 score (H) 70.75; 89 score (C) 64.5.

(New tubs usually command one-half cent a pound over the bulk carton price.)

## Baltimore Livestock

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP) — Cattle — 75 — inquiry broad for meager supply slaughter cattle at prices unchanged from Monday; bad road conditions hampering incoming receipts; few small lots medium 850-880 lbs., short fed steers 18.50-20.00; scattered lots common and medium cows of dairy breeding 12.00-14.00 with top medium beef cows to 16.00; canners and cutters 9.50-11.50; odd good beef bull 17.50; medium and good weighty sausage bulls 15.00- 16.00; light and medium weights 11.50-14.50.

Calves — 50 — nominally steady; mixed lots good and choice 150-220 lb. vealers quotable largely 24.00-27.00, strictly choice 28.00; common and medium 12.00-18.00; culls down to 10.00, underweights as low as 5.00.

Hogs — 300 — active, barrows, gilts and sows 1.00 higher than Monday; practical top 30.00; good and choice 120-140 lbs. 28.00; 140-160 lbs. 29.00; 160-180 lbs., 29.50; 180-220 lbs. 30.00; 220-250 lbs., 29.50; 250-300 lbs., 28.50; 300-350 lbs., 27.50; 350 lbs., up 26.50; good and choice sows 24.50 with heavy sows selling considerably lower.

Sheep — 25 — nominally steady; good and choice 80-110 lbs., wooled lambs quotable from 25.50 down; good and choice slaughter ewes 9.00 down.

## Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, Feb. 25—(AP)—(USDA)—Salable hogs 6,500; total 8,500; barrows and gilts 75 cents to 1.50 higher than Monday's average, closing with as much as 50 cents of the full advance lost. Scattered sales good and choice 190-230 lb. weights 29.85-30.00, top 30.00; closing practical top 29.50; sows fully $1 to $1.25 higher than early Monday; bulk good and choice sows 26.00-26.50. Shippers took 300.

Salable cattle 7,500, total 8,000; salable calves 1,000, total 1,000; fed steers and yearlings strong to 50 cents higher, all grades 50 cents to $1 over late last week. Heifers steady to strong, all cows 25 cents higher, bulls steady. Vealers weak to $1 lower. Low choice offerings scaling 1,175 lbs. topping at 27.00 Bulk medium to high good grades 19.00-24.00; comparable heifers 17.50-22.00; stock cattle active, firm, mostly 16.50-19.50; most canner and cutter cows 9.75-11.75; beef cows 12.50-15.00; practical top heavy sausage bulls 16.25; beel bulls 15.75; vealers mostly 27.00 down.

Salable sheep 4,000, total 5,000; slow, slaughter lambs steady to weak, spots 25 cents lower, ewes steady; good to choice fed wooled lambs 23.35-23.75; three cars good and choice 130 lb. wheat-pastured slaughter ewes 9.50; few natives 8.50.

## He'll Have To Watch Without A Watch

CENTRALIA, Ill., (AP) — Night Watchman Ralph Richardson started to make another round, but discovered his bicycle and his time clock, in the 'cycle basket, had been stolen.

## Railroading Fills Gap; He Hates To Bridge It

AP Newsfeatures

PHILADELPHIA—Allen R. Wilson, who retired as a railroad man, claims he has one of the finest minature railroads in the country, with more than 400 feet of track winding through the big basement of his home. He has several locomotives, which he built himself, and enough cars and other assorted equipment to make it look like the real thing.

But there's only one bridge along his railroad right-of-way and he wants no more. In 45 years with the Pennsylvania Railroad designing bridges was his job.

The unit of American currency, the dollar, received its name through changes in spelling from the German thaler, short for Joachimsthaler, coined from silver mines in Joachithal, Bohemia, in 1519.

## Manners Turn Cold

FREDERICKSBURG, Va., (AP)—The Chamber of Commerce's first class in courtesy was called off recently when the thermometer dropped to three degrees.

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Thank God For Muscle-Rub!

Writes Mr. Robert Jordan, Colon, Mich.

Advises every sufferer from Rheumatic—Arthritic—Sciatic—Neuritic Pains to try Muscle-Rub.

Here's the true story of a man who took treatments, used all kinds of remedies for his sciatic neuritic pains without being helped in the slightest degree. Mr. Robert Jordan of Colon, Mich., suffered agony from pains in his hip—knee—calf of legs. The pain at times was so bad that he couldn't sit down. He tried several different treatments, many different medicines, all of which did him no good. He couldn't work. Life was misery for him.

Then one day he saw an advertisement of Muscle-Rub—the doctor's prescription—and in desperation bought a bottle. He used it as directed and in 3 days the pains were relieved and Mr. Jordan was back on the job.

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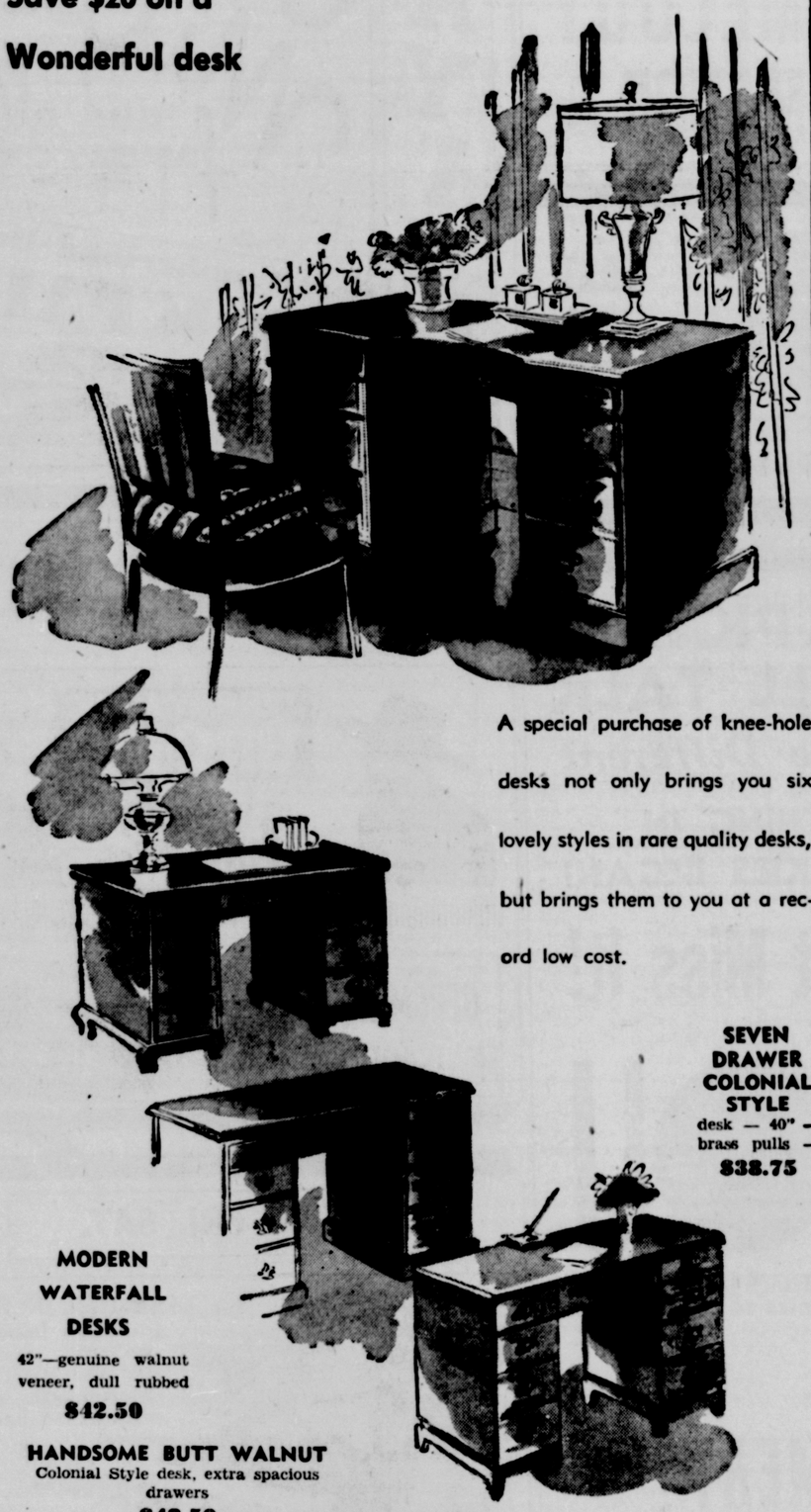

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KEEPING UP WITH

# HOLLYWOOD

By LOUELLA PARSONS

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 25—Dining out, on cook's night out, is a good way to pick up news, I always say.

I met Darryl Zanuck who leaned over the back of a booth to tell me that Peggy Cummins will be co-starred with Cornel Wilde in "The Black Rose" when Director Henry Hathaway puts it before the cameras in July.

Loretta Young

Peggy is completely over those "Forever Amber" blues and well she might be. She proves she has talent in "The Late George Apley."

Cornel, too, I think has a fresh mental slant. He is no longer pouting because he felt his lovely wife, Pat Knight, wasn't getting the breaks. She turned the trick when she told him that their careers were separate—and she would do her own worrying.

Louis Lighton who is producing Thomas Costain's best-selling novel, has ordered a plane load of rare birds from India and costumes from China.

Not since the days of the old Wally Reid racing thrillers has Hollywood concerned itself much about the speed problem. But Republic is jumping into third gear with a factual dramatization of the hopped-up car problem with a thriller called "Too Young To Die."

In Los Angeles alone, 26 kids were recently brought before Judge A. A. Scott, of the juvenile Court, for participating in hot-rod races in Bouquet and other hide-away canyons. These trials were attended by Al Desmond, the writer and William O'Sullivan, the producer, and much of the actual dialogue goes into the movie.

So far—no cast. Republic figures the idea will carry this expose of the misguided young speed devils.

I feel sure Loretta Young will surprise even her most ardent admirers in "Farmer's Daughter." She surpasses herself.

In other words, she is so good as Katie, the Swedish farm girl who runs for Congress, that she will attain new fame as an actress. I saw a sneak preview of the picture and it's real entertainment. Ethel Barrymore, as the grand dame of politics, is superb. As for Joe Cotton, well, I always like him.

Congratulations to Dore Schary for this movie, which in my opinion is A-plus.

Very interesting is the letter Attorney General Tom Clark sent to Abbott and Costello following a telephone conversation with them. The Attorney General asked the comedians to form a committee of motion picture celebrities to combat juvenile delinquency.

"It will help these under privileged boys to know that the people they admire are interested in helping them. Most of the boys who get in trouble have no one to care what happens to them," said the attorney general.

A fine idea and one close to the hearts of Messrs. Abbott and Costello.

Here's another one of those slightly fabulous Hollywood stories. Husky, six-foot-four, former New York actor Carl Rhodes, who is now a partner of T. Wells in the advertising agency business, was out on the Universal lot last week on business.

He was spotted by Director Jules Dassin, hustled into Producer Mark Hellinger's office. Before Rhodes knew it, he was signed for "Brute Force." Now, between scenes, Rhodes is trying to get Mark's advertising business.

Snapshots of Hallywood collected at Random: Wallace Berry's daughter Carol Ann, will do summer stock in Connecticut in June. It just doesn't seem possible she's a big girl now.

George Hawkins, Louis Bromfield's Good Man Friday, manager, boss, and a few other things, is the house guest of the Humphrey Bogarts.

When Nancy Guild left for her vacation, Vic Mature was at the train to see that she left town in style. The same night, Nancy's ex-boy friend, Ed Lasker, and Nancy Valentine, former Powers Model, were at a table for two at the Santa Monica Mayfair.

Copeland Burg, who has a one-man exhibit in the Biltmore gallery, is a re-write man for the Chicago Herald-American. His paintings have won him recognition all over the country.

The Paul Henreids take off for Europe in a couple of weeks. No actor in Hollywood has done more in donations to the starving nations.

The big thing in the romantic department in New York, I hear, is Natalie Thompson, the former Mrs. Bob Hutton, and Ken Friede, literary agent.

Joan Castle, the girl who's under contract to Cary Grant and his independent production and once mentioned as the girl George Sanders most admired, is romantically interested in Erwin D. Swan, advertising executive. He's the widower of Tamara, killed in the Lisbon crash.

I hear from New York that everyone along Broadway believes that Irene Selznick will make good with "Heart Song," her first play. She has been at every rehearsal and has been working night and day.

Plans are being made to tie up Boris Morros' picture "Carnegie Hall" with the 56th anniversary of Carnegie Hall and National Music Week. I hear through the grapeine, the picture is very good.

Diana Lynn has been buzzing around like a busy little bee on the arm of Bob Neill, the Texas oil millionaire.

There was a big reunion when Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Zukor stopped to speak to Bebe Daniels, who once was his famous stars, and Robert Kane, who was one of the production heads at Paramount. The Zukors were on their way to see a motion picture of their 20th wedding anniversary. That's a picture I have to see. They tell me his advice to men and women who reach the retirement age is marvelous. That's all today.


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2—Rose Cave, R. McPhee 10, 6.20, 4.40; Carreau, R. Bendinelli 30.30, 13.90; Chow, J. Martin 6.90.

3—b-Kerry, C. McCreary 11.20, 3.30, 2.20; Eternalles, J. Sneller 2.60, 2.10; Merry Lass, C. Kirk 2.10.

b—Marlet Stable entry.

4—Gorget, J. Jessop 8.70, 5, 3.90; Broad Margin, N. Combest 9.40, 6.30; Respire, A. Delara 6.60.

5—Rytina, T. May 6.30, 3.60, 3.30; Sophocles, H. B. Wilson 3.70, 3.60; Bug Juice, A Snider 5.40.

6—Gustaf, J. Jessop 21, 8.30, 4.70; Valdina Decoy, J. Sneller 5.40, 3.40; East, P. Roberts 3.

7—Cencerro, T. Atkinson 3.30, 2.70, 2.60; Bert, G. Hettinger 10.70, 5.80; Chance Player, C. Mullins 6.40.

8—Chic Chic, P. Roberts 28.80, 19.20, 8.90; Reno Pu, 20.40, 13.10; Lady Rheanelle, J. Sneller 8.90.

**DAILY DOUBLE—Style Queen and Rose Cave paid $287.20.**

**SUNSHINE PARK**

1—Old Jordan, J. Keenan 11, 4.30, 2.90; Valdina Goblin, A. Applebee 2.90, 2.30; Sabrate, R. Runyon 4.40.

2—Hadatime, E. Danhauer 4.40, 2.90, 3; Redina, C. F. Simpson 5.30, 4.90; Thalel, A. Vessell 4.20.

3—Girl Flyer, J. W. Maroin 27.60, 5.80, 3.70; Gavilan, A. Applebee 2.60, 2.30; Rosie Derby, E Danhauer 2.80.

4—White Time, A. Auer 4.30, 3.30, 2.70; Benjack, W. Mann 3.80, 3; Harv Aethel, W. Gerlock 3.80.

5—Tennessee Kid, D. Boston 21.20, 7.70, 3.20; Bar Rock, J. Owens 4.90, 2.70; Guinea Club, C. F. Simpson 2.60.

6—Fiery Steel, J Robertson 10.60, 4.40, 2.90; Masculine, C. F. Simpson 5.90, 3.50; Morocco Betty, D. Boston 2.60.

7—Powder Bluff, A Applebee 4.60, 3, 2.60; Time Flies, C. F. Simpson 7, 4.10; Dead Aim, J. Whalen 2.80.

8—Palkin, R. Arduini 12.60, 5.40, 3.80; Freespender, D. Boston 4.90, 3; Freeboy, A. Wolfe 3.40.

**DAILY DOUBLE—Old Jordan and Hadatime paid $25.10.**

**FAIR GROUNDS**

1—Cocogrande, R. Shufelt 14.60, 8.40, 6.80; Jr. O'Sullivan, W. L. Taylor 4.60, 4; Heat Wave, T Spencer 6.40.

2—W. A. Moore, J. Rienzi 29, 11.60, 6.40; Happy Doe, G. Monson 9.80, 5; Sir Fanar, T. Spencer 3.

3—Cathie Jean, J. Cavens 6.20, 3.80, 2.80; Dusty Days, E. Guerin 3.80, 3.20; Barrani Fire, W. L. Johnson 10.40.

4—Little Stick, J Payne 5.60, 3.20, 2.80; Polly Watch, C. Swain 3.80, 3.80; Flashat, G. Monson 11.

5—Leo's Brandy, C. Swain 39.40, 15, 7.60; Kengar, E. Guerin 8.40, 6; Driscoll, G. Monson 3.

6—Flatbush, E. Guerin 4.40, 3.20, 2.60; Tit Tat Toe, W. Badgett 3.60, 3; Invercork, W. L. Johnson 7.80.

7—Sassy Patricia, C. Swain 18.60, 12.80, 10.40; Bob's Dream, E. Guerin 9, 6.40; Cooling Spring, J. Molbert 7.20.

8—Grace Powers, J. Combest, 16.20, 6.20, 6.00; Scouting, A. Daniels 7.20, 4.80; Record March, D. Adams 3.80.

**DAILY DOUBLE—Cocogrande and W. A. Moore paid $210.60.**


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# Fair Grounds Entries

1—$1,200, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Gilt Edge | 120 | xRobins Crown | 111 |
| Musical Mood | 113 | Pari King | 122 |
| xGay Flares | 108 | xTelescope | 117 |
| My Reward | 116 | xHickory Jim | 111 |
| Pollenator | 120 | xJohn Hunnicutt | 111 |
| xSay Nomore | 120 | She She | 111 |
| xGallant VI | 104 | Ace of Spades | 118 |
| Busy Black | 113 | Black Flame | 116 |

2—$1,200, 4 and up, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| xAudrey M. | 110 | Ginger Dan | 116 |
| xDicky | 111 | xLittle Clipper | 106 |
| Skip Level | 109 | Head Sea | 113 |
| Herbie | 120 | Vitozel | 116 |
| xJulia Hy | 108 | Wog | 111 |
| xGold Fancy | 108 | Come-Back | 109 |
| xPres | 109 | xSir Walter B. | 111 |
| Border Vocuble | 116 | xExport | 109 |

3—$1,200, 3, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| xTricky Willie | 108 | Miss Yam | 110 |
| Deep Texas | 113 | Little Sting | 110 |
| xDiavolo Chief | 110 | Port Wise | 112 |
| xElbekay | 103 | xBundle Boy | 110 |

4—$1,300, 2, fillies, 2 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| a-Waxahachie | 116 | xLittle Chip | 111 |
| Come Tiger | 111 | xMarys Best | 106 |
| Sala | 111 | Judy Cave | 111 |
| xMiss Sweetie | 106 | Atrebia | 116 |
| a-Eventide | 116 | Miss Richards | 111 |

a-Mrs. Floyd West entry.

5—$1,200, 3, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| xLucky Pair | 113 | xa-Brown Clipper | 108 |
| Foretell | 118 | Camolino | 118 |
| Mayram | 113 | xTulane Cheer | 113 |
| Joe Valenti | 118 | a-Small Stuff | 118 |
| Glider Pilot | 118 | | |

a-J. B. Theall entry.

6—$2,000, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| xLikeable | 115 | Valdina Infant | 118 |
| Icane | 115 | Toy-Quay | 113 |
| xCol. Teddy | 113 | Nictor | 116 |
| xMarcelle B. | 100 | | |

7—$1,200, 4 and up, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| xFrisky Spirit | 113 | xYoung Buddy | 113 |
| Whyso | 118 | Cinesar | 118 |
| Rolls High | 113 | Valdina Loria | 116 |
| xBaby Kiddie | 108 | Know How | 122 |
| xHop Picker | 111 | xLeapolino | 104 |
| Hi-Ty | 116 | | |

8—$1,200, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tide Over | 118 | xAguilucho | 113 |
| xWar Wise | 106 | Air Beauty | 111 |
| Over The Dam | 111 | Real Sweet | 111 |
| Glennporo | 118 | Prince Tick | 118 |
| xImpenetrable | 115 | | |

x-5 lbs. A A C. Listed in order of post positions.

# Sunshine Park Entries

1—$700, allowances, 4 and up, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mr. Grundy | 120 | xSemi Deck | 112 |
| Sure Footed | 120 | Bluebird Star | 115 |
| xMr. Jim | 110 | xWise Don | 115 |
| Zora J. | 115 | Fancy Face | 115 |
| Queens Light | 120 | Alfios | 120 |
| Grand Gay | 120 | | |

2—$700, claiming, 4 and up, 5½ f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Praetorian | 120 | xBoleyngrey | 110 |
| Flash Town | 120 | Stars Do | 120 |
| Bessie Bliss | 115 | Easter Belle | 113 |
| xCanter's Best | 115 | Jimmies Aide | 120 |
| Fairy Time | 115 | | |

3—$700, claiming, 4 and up, 5½ f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Baia-Deil | 115 | xPittstown | 115 |
| Tex Greenock | 120 | Pilot Boat | 120 |
| xEarly Riser | 110 | xSuppervile | 110 |
| xTinto | 110 | xEnticing Lad | 115 |
| Armistice Day | 120 | | |

4—$700, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Rona Call | 115 | Flag Orland | 120 |
| Old Jordan | 118 | xRasaw | 110 |
| xCorinthian | 115 | Hilda May | 115 |
| xMint Ellan | 110 | xSnow Go | 113 |

5—$800, allowances, 4 and up, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| x a-Topper | 110 | Junior Four | 115 |
| xLucky Barney | 115 | Waller | 115 |
| Jamesquest | 120 | xGallant | 115 |
| Linwodo Ghost | 117 | xSnark Ess | 118 |
| x aChat Hopkins | 112 | | |

a-G. S. Gadney entry.

6—$800, claiming, 4 and up, fillies and mares, 1 m, and 70 y.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sorrowful | 111 | xBaby Edith | 113 |
| xCounter | 105 | Busy Edith A. | 113 |
| xValnor | 105 | xLady Elleston | 108 |
| xFunrow | 113 | Gica | 111 |

7—$700, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lady Pair | 112 | Boxida | 115 |
| Tiptolate | 110 | xWicked | 110 |
| War Commander | 120 | xAnchor Chain | 110 |
| xLead-Em-All | 105 | xOrcus | 110 |

8—$800, claiming, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| xBefore Time | 113 | Alcinous | 118 |
| Sun Galomar | 113 | Bastinado | 118 |
| Pickworth | 108 | xMystic Man | 108 |
| Brave Up | 118 | xOld Town Hill | 108 |

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# Hialeah Entries

1—$3,000, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Janegri | 112 | Five Bills | 122 |
| xMemory Boss | 102 | cMillo | 112 |
| Away | 117 | cAppas Tappas | 112 |
| xTragic Ending | 117 | cHelen's Boy | 117 |
| Darby Diadem | 117 | cFagrace | 102 |
| Dutchill B. | 117 | bogada | 117 |
| cDay Dodger | 112 | Which Cup | 117 |
| Copperman | 117 | cHappy Me | 107 |

2—$3,000, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Shifty Play | 120 | Lombock | 120 |
| xKantar Run | 117 | xJellico | 110 |
| xIlefetchit | 117 | Islam's Islam | 117 |
| Twenty Six | 115 | xSet In | 105 |
| Edgemere | 122 | xTennessee Maid | 107 |
| Page 2nd | 117 | French Lure | 110 |
| W. H. Kelly | 117 | History Maker | 115 |
| Delphian | 122 | xStage Star | 110 |

3—$5,000, allowance, fillies, 2, 3 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Don't Quote Me | 116 | b-Elastic | 116 |
| Caltha | 116 | xRomance Hill | 107 |
| a-Try Again | 112 | Wee Mistress | 112 |
| xGrand Choice | 107 | Belmont Beauty | 116 |
| Black Vixen | 116 | b-Blue Moire | 116 |
| Poolish Devil | 120 | cCheek | 112 |
| Gay Blush | 112 | | |

a-Wheatley Stable entry.
b-Brookmeade Stable entry.

4—$3,500, allowance, 3, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Silver Light | 114 | Cuisine | 117 |
| Maid of Harlem | 111 | Volatile | 116 |
| Miss Sun Beau | 108 | Pompeian | 122 |
| Hat Girl | 106 | Gray Warrior | 116 |
| xHelene | 106 | xPie Lady | 109 |
| Draw One | 116 | Coral Star | 111 |
| Joe Mandell | 116 | Botye | 119 |
| xPost Time | 111 | Ned Luck | 116 |

5—$4,000, Grade D, 4 and up, 6 f.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Suzerain | 121 | Dance Team | 118 |
| Knight's Gift | 102 | Happy Flying | 110 |
| fly-Charlie | 118 | Erigeron | 116 |
| Medal | 116 | xAlways | 97 |
| Dutch Raider | 121 | | |

6—$15,000 added, 3 and up, 1½ m.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tel O'Sullivan | 118 | Lion Rampant | 108 |
| Attendant | 116 | Top Reward | 110 |
| Real Short | 108 | Stan Tracy | 115 |
| Cherish | 108 | a-Bel Reigh | 110 |
| Bimont | 107 | Economical | 102 |
| Whiffletree | 114 | a-Briarcliff | 108 |
| Frere Jacques | 130 | | |

a-Mrs. T. Christopher entry.

7—$3,500, claiming, 4 and up, 1 3-16 m.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| xOpen Palm | 114 | Economical | 117 |
| Lucifer | 117 | xFly Off | 107 |
| xSilver Plate | 114 | Gigolbury | 122 |
| a-His Daughter | 112 | Battlefire | 122 |
| Bet Me | 119 | Shush | 117 |
| Jolly Soul | 122 | a-Deily Varden | 112 |
| Complex | 122 | xMy Malcha | 107 |

a-Solomon and Kelly entry.

8—$4,000, allowance, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Stan Tracy | 121 | On The River | 115 |
| Whiffletree | 115 | xOld Iron | 103 |
| Pot O' Luck | 124 | Sea Wolf | 121 |
| Tel O'Sullivan | 121 | xBallast | 116 |
| Blue Badge | 116 | | |

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By BUCK WEAVER
The Louisville Times

**HIALEAH (FAST)**

1—Abogada, Darby Diadem, Away.
2—Delphian, Tennessee Maid, Shifty Play.
3—Don't Quote Me, Caltha, Blue Moire.
4—Gray Warrior, Botye, Maid of Harlem.
5—Dutch Raider, Erigeron, Dance Team.
6—Frere Jacques, Attendant, Whiffletree.
7—Gigolbury, Battlefire, Jolly Soul.
8—Sea Wolf, Pot O' Luck, On The River.

**BEST BET—Don't Quote Me.**

**FAIRGROUNDS (FAST)**

1—Pari King, My Reward, Pollenator.
2—Herbie, Border Voluble, Dicky.
3—Diavolo Chief, Port Wise, Tricky Willie.
4—Eventide, Little Chip, Come Tiger.
5—Theall entry, Foretell, Glider Pilot.
6—Likeable, Icane, Col. Teddy.
7—Young Buddy, Know How, Hop Picker.
8—War Wise, Impenetrable, Tide Over.

**BEST BET—Diavolo Chief.**

# Armed Arrives

BURBANK, Calif., Feb. 25 (AP)—Warren Wright's race horse, Armed, arrived here by air today from Miami, Fla., to compete in Saturday's $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap.

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# YESTERDAY'S SCRATCHES

**HIALEAH PARK:** 1—Little Gaucha, Little Knick, Ocerpower, Eternal Donna; 2—Outsider, Glenwood Boy, Wiseshot, Romance Boy, Histrionic; 3—Four Ply, Radar Man, Gay Gunner, Flying Raid; 4—Pied Piper, Erigeron, Top Dollar, Degage, Guy Parks; 5—Hygros Ginger; 7—Dixie Sweep, Gay Moonbeam, Lexingtonian; 8—Over The Hill, Florida Jack.

**SUNSHINE PARK:** 2—Lindas Wash.

**FAIR GROUNDS:** 1—Hasty Million, Audrey M., Loango, Two By Two, Gentle Savage, Rareback; 2—Wm. Dash, Foretell, Michael J., Miss Pete, Grace Hy, Sweet Hope; 3—Audo, Merriment, Miss Richards, Tigerita, Angling, Fast Slave; 5—Country Miss, Tony G., My Scott, Damions Ariel, Faff, Pie Man, Cinder King; 6—Wow, Bank Balance, Salute; 8—Red Del, Chislam.


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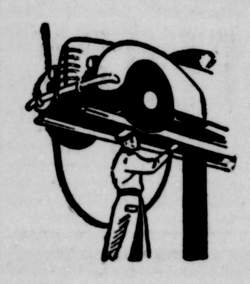

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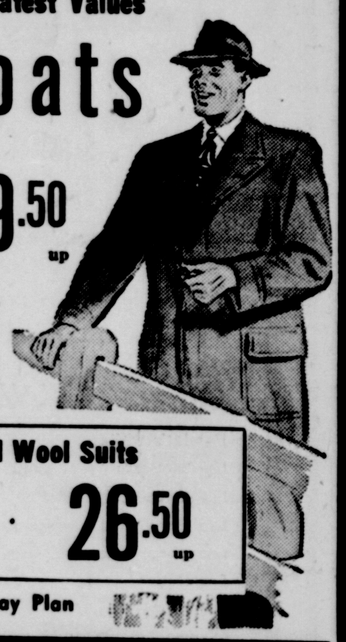

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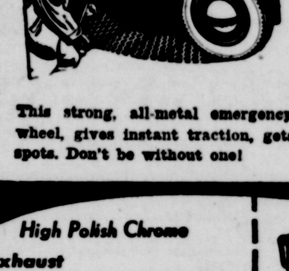

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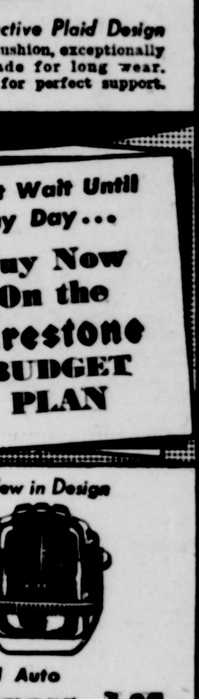

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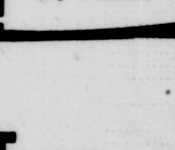

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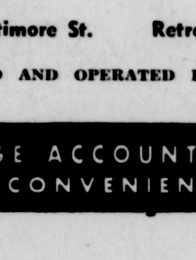

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## Campers Conquer Ridgeley, 38-33, To Avenge Loss

### AHS Is Given Scare But Cops 8th In Row

By JOHN W. KNOWLTON

Avenging an earlier defeat Coach Walter "Bill" Bowers' Allegany High Campers tripped the Ridgeley High Blackhawks 38-33 last night at Campobello, before a turnout of approximately 400 basketball fans, to rack up their eighth straight victory.

Coach Jesse Riggleman's visiting Blackhawks gave the WMI champions a terrific scare before going down to defeat. Throughout the first 12 minutes of play the Campers played like champs while building up an impressive 23-10 lead over the seemingly hapless Riggleman quint. Then the roof seemed to cave in and the Blackhawks found themselves to completely dominate play until they had tossed in 13 straight points to knot the count for the first time in the ball game at 23-23 with 3:00 to go in the third period.

**Final Spurt Decides**

Composing themselves after a hurriedly called time out the Campers came back with Gene Shaw and Ned Clopton leading the way to again take the lead and they were never headed thereafter, although Ridgeley trailed by only two points at 30-28 and 34-32 late in the final quarter. However at this point Clopton netted a beautiful long shot, then tossed in two free tosses within the space of seconds and the game was out of reach of the courageous and hard-fighting Ridgeleyites.

Tommy Powers started things rolling with a pivot toss for two points from the foul circle seconds after the opening whistle and Bill Brehany hooped one of two fouls for Ridgeley. Then the Campers turned on the steam and outclassing a completely befuddled and floundering Blackhawk team ran the score to 11-1 on buckets by Shaw, Clopton, Powers and Shaw and a foul toss by the red-headed Alco guard. Brehany broke the ice for Ridgeley with a layup 50 seconds before the close of the period and the score was 13-5 Allegany as the stanza ended.

Continuing their barrage the Alcomen upped the tally to 23-10 as Shaw burned the cords with a never-miss brand of ball. Then Ridgeley caught fire. Clyde "Fats" Wilson, Alfred Abe and big Joseph Moss scored fielders in quick succession. Roy Comer's foul made it 23-17 Allegany at halftime.

Wilson and Brehany connected for long set shots and Abe's layup brought the crowd to its feet as it tied the score at 23-23, with only three minutes remaining in the canto. Allegany had gone scoreless for a period of nine minutes. Clopton's goal and Wilson's foul made it 25-24 and then Shaw and Jim Clingan tallied from the field to put Allegany on the long end of a 29-24 count at the end of the third period.

**Hawks Lose Eighth**

Ridgeley continued to carry the fight to the favored Campers in the final setto but just weren't able to quite make it. Shaw and Moss traded fielders and Abe and Comer sandwiched shots around Shaw's pretty toss from the corner and Ridgeley trailed 33-30. Shaw's free throw and Abe's fielder made it 34-32 to set the stage for Clopton to take over and pull the game out of danger for the Bowersmen. The defeat was the eighth for Ridgeley in 20 games this season while it gave Allegany a 15-5 record.

The fiery-haired Shaw was almost completely the whole show for Allegany. In on every play, continually battling for possession of the leather and pacing the Alco attack with 20 points on eight fielders and four of five fouls, Shaw was the outstanding player on the court. Clopton and Clingan ably assisted the battling redhead. Brehany with nine points and Abe with eight were Ridgeley's best bets while Moss and "Pats" Wilson played good floor games for the losers.

**A.H.S. Reserves Win**

The Allegany High School Reserves rallied in the final quarter to eke out a 35-30 decision over the B & O Backshop quint last night in the preliminary affair to the Allegany-Ridgeley basketball game. Ruehl topped the scorers with nine points for Allegany while Collins had eight for the Backshoppers. The lineups:

| ALLEGANY | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Clopton, f | 4 | 2-2 | 10 |
| Powers, f | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Hillcary, c | 1 | 0-3 | 2 |
| Shaw, g | 8 | 4-5 | 20 |
| Lease, g | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Clingan, sub | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Totals | 16 | 6-11 | 38 |

Non-scoring subs—Storey.

| RIDGELEY | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Abe, f | 4 | 0-3 | 8 |
| Flanagan, f | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Moss, c | 3 | 0-2 | 6 |
| Wilson, g | 2 | 2-2 | 6 |
| Brehany, g | 4 | 1-2 | 9 |
| Comer, sub | 1 | 1-4 | 3 |
| Jewell, sub | 0 | 1-1 | 1 |
| Totals | 14 | 5-14 | 33 |

Points by periods:
RIDGELEY ..... 5 12 7 9—33
ALLEGANY ..... 13 10 6 9—38
Referees—Roby and Fearer.

| ALLEGANY RESERVES | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Twigg, f | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| McGregor, f | 3 | 0-2 | 6 |
| Vernall, c | 1 | 2-2 | 4 |
| Lilya, g | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Ruehl, g | 4 | 1-2 | 9 |
| Lookabaugh, sub | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Cunningham, sub | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Fennel, sub | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Totals | 16 | 3-7 | 35 |

| B & O BACKSHOP | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mason, f | 3 | 0-0 | 6 |
| Mullan, f | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Hartung, c | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Hughes, g | 2 | 1-1 | 5 |
| Sterne, g | 2 | 1-1 | 5 |
| Collins, sub | 3 | 2-2 | 8 |
| Totals | 13 | 4-5 | 30 |

Non-scoring subs—Windemuth.
Points by periods:
B. & O. ..... 8 2 10 10—30
ALLEGANY ..... 6 6 8 15—35
Referee—Clower.

## Lacy Gets 31 Points

WESTMINSTER, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—Loyola's scoring sensation, Jim Lacy, led his team to a 75-66 victory over Western Maryland in a Mason-Dixon conference contest tonight.

Lacy, who accounted for 31 of Loyola's points, was a good part of the show.

MAKE POINTS—Two of the probable all-conference choices in the Big Nine basketball race this winter, Bob Cook, above, of Wisconsin, and Paul Huffman, below, of Purdue, are leading the scoring parade, Cook, with 239 points in 17 games, is top scorer in the loop.

## Somerset Sweeps Bedford Series By 50-33 Score

### Bud Fisher Gets 26 Points For Bisons

BEDFORD, Pa., Feb. 25—Handing the Bedford Bisons their sixth defeat in 20 games this season the Somerset High cagers easily swept the season series with a 50 to 33 decision over the locals here tonight.

Bud Fisher, sharpshooting forward for the losers, put on a one-man shooting exhibition as he caged 10 of his team's 13 goals and hooped six of seven free throws for 26 of Bedford's 33 points. However, Williams, Bison center, was the only other cager to score from the field for Bedford and the Bisons were unable to stop the 21-goal barrage laid down by the Somerset countians.

Bedford hopped off to a 7-5 lead at the end of the initial quarter but Somerset poured 16 counters through the hoops to lead 21-12 at halftime and were never headed again. Third period score was 40-21 Somerset.

Emert was top man for the winners with seven fielders and three of five fouls for 17 points. Mostoller and Courtney ably assisted their teammate with eight and nine tallies respectively. The lineups:

| SOMERSET | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Albright, f | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Pfrogner, f | 0 | 1-2 | 1 |
| Rosbaugh, c | 4 | 1-1 | 9 |
| Emert, g | 7 | 3-5 | 17 |
| Mostoller, g | 3 | 2-3 | 8 |
| Burdeau, sub | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Courtney, sub | 4 | 1-1 | 9 |
| Shaffer | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Hay | 0 | 0-2 | 0 |
| Kehoe, sub | 0 | 0-1 | 0 |
| Totals | 21 | 8-16 | 50 |

| BEDFORD | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bergie, f | 0 | 0-2 | 0 |
| Fisher, f | 10 | 6-7 | 26 |
| Williams c | 3 | 0-0 | 6 |
| Stroup, g | 0 | 0-1 | 0 |
| Arnold, g | 0 | 1-2 | 1 |
| Totals | 13 | 7-12 | 33 |

Non-scoring subs—Foy, Budd, Marshall.
Points by periods:
SOMERSET ..... 5 16 19 10—50
BEDFORD ..... 7 5 9 12—33
Referees—Rich and Horner.

## Honus Wagner Heads For Training Camp

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 25 (AP)—Honus Wagner, 73-year-old coach of the Pittsburgh Pirates, making his first trip to Florida, headed the small group of players that left here today for the club's training camp at Miami Beach.

Others in the party included Infielders Frankie Gustine and Lee Handley and Outfielders Al Gionfriddo, Frank Kalin and Stanley Wentzel. The pitchers and catchers have been working out since last Saturday and will be joined by the rest of the squad Thursday.

## Thomas Will Play At Parsons High

In scholastic basketball games on tap for tonight, Thomas will play at Parsons in the series between Tucker county schools and Oakland will play hosts to Fellowsville of Preston county.

Parsons upset Thomas on February 7 by the score of 33-32 at Thomas. The Panthers have won 15 games and lost 2 while Thomas's record is 15 wins, 3 losses.

## Deeds Recorded At Court House

Two deeds were filed for record in Allegany County Land records yesterday from John and Lillian S. Stewart and Owen E. and Susan B. Hitchins, conveying to The Market Buildings, Inc., property on the East Side of Broadway, Frostburg for $19,800 and property on North Centre street here for $19,475.

Gilbert Murphy conveyed to Clyde V. and Gladys Marsh, 16.87 acres along Stoney Run for $450.

The Old Savage Fire Brick Company, Inc. to Clifford O. and Martha A. Albright, property in Ellerslie known as the Brickyard Lot and Log House Lot for $8,000.

Dorothy R. Williams to Carl A. and Ruth W. Low, Avondale avenue lot for $200.

## Sentinels Suffer 41 To 39 Setback At Martinsburg

### Bulldogs Even Series As Locals Lose 8th

MARTINSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 25—Fort Hill High School of Cumberland boosted its point total to 1,003 for the season but went down to defeat at the hands of the Martinsburg High School Bulldogs here tonight by the score of 41 to 39.

In handing the Marylanders their eighth loss in 25 starts, Coach John Cobourne's aggregation atoned for a 36-30 setback suffered in Cumberland early in the season.

Martinsburg stepped away to a 13-8 lead at the quarter and held the upper hand throughout but the Sentinels made it a close battle all the way. The score was 27-20 at the intermission and 33-30 at the conclusion of the third stanza.

Elmer Freeland, Fort Hill forward, grabbed high point honors with seven fielders and 15 points while Laidlow and Fowler paced the Bulldogs with 21 and 11 markers. Charley Lattimer scored nine points for Fort Hill in the role of substitute while Milford Dean played a nice floor game.

Fort Hill will windup its regular schedule on Thursday by playing Ridgeley High School in Ridgeley. Lineups:

| MARTINSBURG | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Laidlow, f | 5 | 2-2 | 12 |
| Robertson, f | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Morris, c | 2 | 2-4 | 6 |
| Seibert, g | 2 | 0-2 | 4 |
| Fowler, g | 5 | 1-2 | 11 |
| Brenner, sub | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Totals | 18 | 5-11 | 41 |

| FORT HILL | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Freeland, f | 7 | 1-1 | 15 |
| Dean, f | 2 | 3-3 | 7 |
| Cage, c | 0 | 1-2 | 1 |
| Manges, g | 3 | 0-1 | 6 |
| Frye, g | 0 | 1-2 | 1 |
| Lattimer, sub | 4 | 1-2 | 9 |
| Totals | 16 | 7-11 | 39 |

Points by periods:
MARTINSBURG ..... 13 14 6 8—41
FORT HILL ..... 8 12 10 9—39
Referees—Stuckey and Derr.

## PARSONS HI NOTCHES 15TH OVER COALTON

COALTON, W. Va., Feb. 25—The Parsons High Panthers copped their 15th win in 17 games this season with an easy 58-30 decision over Coalton High here last night.

L. Roy led the 21-goal parade for Parsons with 22 tallies on ten fielders and two of two fouls. Mastergoe was high for Coalton with seven points.

Coach Homer Brooks announced the game originally scheduled with Pickens at Parsons tonight had been cancelled. The Panthers next contest will be with Thomas at Parsons tomorrow. The lineups:

| PARSONS | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| L. Roy, f | 10 | 2-2 | 22 |
| D. Gilmore, f | 1 | 0-3 | 2 |
| Nestor, c | 2 | 6-11 | 10 |
| G. Gilmore, g | 1 | 6-9 | 8 |
| Phillips, g | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| D. Roy | 5 | 1-1 | 11 |
| J. Gilmore | 1 | 1-2 | 3 |
| Totals | 21 | 16-28 | 58 |

| COALTON | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mastergoe, f | 1 | 5-7 | 7 |
| Miller, f | 2 | 1-3 | 5 |
| Moran, c | 1 | 3-3 | 5 |
| Sylvester, g | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Ross, g | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Marco | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Goddin | 2 | 1-1 | 5 |
| Totals | 10 | 10-16 | 30 |

Points by periods:
PARSONS ..... 7 11 20 20—58
COALTON ..... 8 8 2 12—30
Referee—Hart.

## Ramblers Defeat Cavaliers

The Mapleside Ramblers chalked up their tenth straight victory without a defeat with a 45-35 decision over the LaSalle Cavaliers last night on the SS. Peter and Paul court. Bill Andrews paced the winners with 27 points while Luttrell caged 12 for the losers. The lineups:

| MAPLESIDE RAMBLERS | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bob Ruppenkamp, f | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Eirich, f | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Ray Ruppenkamp, c | 2 | 5-5 | 9 |
| Andrews, g | 13 | 1-1 | 27 |
| Rogan, g | 3 | 1-3 | 7 |
| Totals | 19 | 7-10 | 45 |

| LaSALLE CAVALIERS | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Davis, f | 1 | 1-4 | 3 |
| Ingram, f | 3 | 0-0 | 6 |
| Luttrelli, c | 6 | 0-0 | 12 |
| Wheeler, g | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Porter, g | 4 | 0-3 | 8 |
| Beck, sub | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Totals | 17 | 1-7 | 35 |

Points by periods:
M'SIDE RAMBLERS .... 6 16 13 10—45
LaSALLE CAVALIERS .. 10 7 5 13—35
Referee—McGreevy.

GRETCHEN MERRILL, the Boston figure skating star, now is the world's figure skating champion, having won her title in the international meet held in St. Moritz, Switzerland.

## Fort Cumberland Post And Moose Win Games

### Amvets And Caseys Lose In Interstate

INTERSTATE LEAGUE
STANDING OF THE TEAMS

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lonaconing Legion | 9 | 1 | .900 |
| Cumberland Legion | 8 | 2 | .800 |
| Cumberland Moose | 8 | 2 | .800 |
| Cumberland Amvets | 5 | 5 | .500 |
| Fulton Myers Post | 4 | 5 | .444 |
| Mt. Savage VFW | 2 | 6 | .250 |
| Cumberland K. of C. | 1 | 8 | .111 |
| Paw Paw Legion | 1 | 9 | .100 |

GAME TONIGHT
Moose vs. Amvets (8-30)

Fort Cumberland Post, American Legion, and the Cumberland Loyal Order of Moose remained tied for second place in the Interstate Basketball League's second half race by winning games last night on SS. Peter and Paul court.

Paced by Jimmie MacFarlane and Tommy Geatz, who collected 40 points, the local American Legion took the measure of the Cumberland Amvets, 61 to 48.

Charles "Snap" Morris and Norman Mason shared 44 points at the Moose quintet defeated the Cumberland Knights of Columbus.

In the latter game Mason, Angellatta and Swach went out on personal fouls and Baker, who had five personals plastered on him, remained in the game as the Caseys had no other substitutes available.

Tonight the Amvets and Moose quints will tangle on SS. Peter and Paul court at 8:30 o'clock. Lineups:

| FORT CUMBERLAND | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| T. Geatz, f | 9 | 1-4 | 19 |
| McIntyre, f | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Brant, c | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Cox, g | 1 | 1-1 | 3 |
| MacFarlane, g | 10 | 1-3 | 21 |
| Sterne, sub | 2 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Twigg, sub | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Bell, sub | 3 | 2-3 | 8 |
| Totals | 28 | 5-12 | 61 |

| AMVETS | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Therman, f | 4 | 2-3 | 10 |
| DeHart, f | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Boyle, c | 8 | 4-6 | 20 |
| Burns, g | 4 | 1-1 | 9 |
| Orndorff, g | 1 | 0-1 | 2 |
| Lee | 2 | 0-2 | 4 |
| Gerdeman | 0 | 1-1 | 1 |
| Whitman | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Totals | 20 | 8-14 | 48 |

Points by periods:
LEGION ..... 8 8 21 24—61
AMVETS ..... 14 13 6 15—48
Referee—Twigg.

| MOOSE | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mason, f | 6 | 4-7 | 16 |
| Rice, f | 4 | 1-1 | 9 |
| Morris, c | 12 | 4-5 | 28 |
| Wagner, g | 4 | 1-5 | 9 |
| Angellatta, g | 0 | 0-1 | 0 |
| Hollen, sub | 1 | 2-4 | 4 |
| Minnicks | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Totals | 27 | 12-23 | 66 |

| K. OF C. | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Snider, f | 3 | 5-5 | 11 |
| Baker, f | 4 | 7-12 | 15 |
| LaNeve, c | 7 | 0-2 | 14 |
| Swach, g | 3 | 3-6 | 9 |
| Becker, g | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Cessna | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Totals | 20 | 15-26 | 55 |

Points by periods:
MOOSE ..... 14 12 22 18—66
K. OF C. ..... 11 15 17 12—55
Referee—Gerard.

## LaSalle Athletes Dined By Mothers

### Eighty Attend Supper Sponsored By Women

The LaSalle Mothers' Club honored all LaSalle High School's athletes at a supper last evening in St. Patrick's School Social Center. Eighty attended the affair.

Mrs. George Hughes, president of the club, welcomed the guests and Brother Clement, principal of LaSalle, praised the athletes for the loyalty shown toward their school and thanked the members of the club for the excellent meal which they prepared and served.

Artistic name cards at each plate were designed by Eddie Devine, of Westernport, president of the student council of Potomac State School, Keyser.

Brother Clement, Edward, Gregory, Declan and Thomas; Coach John J. Long, Police and Fire Commissioner William V. Keegan, former LaSalle coach; John L. Borchert, public address system commentator for LaSalle home games; Jay Bechtol, of Radio Station WTBO, Ross W. Prysock, of the Times and C. V. Burns, of the News, occupied places at the main table.

The dinner was something new inasmuch as it was a "speechless" affair and proved to be an enjoyable event.

Football movies concluded the program.

### "DOC" IN DOG HOUSE

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—(AP)—Felix (Doc) Blanchard, All America fullback and 1945 indoor IC-4A shot put champion, has been restricted to the military academy campus for skipping a class and thus will not be able to compete in the 1947 games at Madison Square Garden Saturday night, it was learned today.

## Fort Ashby Tops Beall High, 39-36

### West Virginia Team Avenges 59-27 Loss

FORT ASHBY, W. Va., Feb. 25—Going over the .500 mark in won and loss standings with their 10th victory in 19 starts the Fort Ashby quint avenged an earlier 59-57 loss by defeating the Beall High Mountaineers of Frostburg, Md., here tonight by a score of 39-36.

The winners staved off a desperate last quarter rally by the Mountaineers to eke out their three-point decision after leading 12-11 at the quarter, 23-16 at halftime and 31-22 at the close of the third period.

Don Linn paced his mates to victory with 11 points while Nelson was top man for Beall with 13 tallies. Each team hooped 13 field goals but the Fort Ashby cagers pulled the game out of the fire by connecting for 13 of 20 free throws while Beall caged only 10 of a like number. The lineups:

| FORT ASHBY | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Shaffer, f | 3 | 1-1 | 7 |
| Davis, f | 2 | 5-5 | 9 |
| Boatman, c | 3 | 1-5 | 7 |
| Blauch, g | 1 | 1-2 | 3 |
| Linn, g | 4 | 3-5 | 11 |
| Wolford | 0 | 2-2 | 2 |
| Totals | 13 | 13-20 | 39 |

| BEALL | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Farrady, f | 0 | 2-5 | 2 |
| Nelson, f | 6 | 1-2 | 13 |
| Truly, c | 4 | 0-1 | 8 |
| Best, g | 2 | 3-4 | 7 |
| Stewart, g | 1 | 3-4 | 5 |
| Murray, sub | 0 | 1-4 | 1 |
| Totals | 13 | 10-20 | 36 |

Non-scoring subs—Coleman.
Points by periods:
FORT ASHBY ..... 12 11 8 8—39
BEALL ..... 11 5 6 14—36
Referee—Hahn and Morehead.

## Paw Paw Scores Over Bruce 48-30

### Victors Rack Up 20 Points In 4th Heat

PAW PAW, W. Va., Feb. 25—Pounding the hoops for 20 points in the final period the Paw Paw High Mountaineers turned an otherwise close game into a rout and defeated Bruce High of Westernport, Md., here tonight by the score of 48 to 30.

With Taylor leading the way with 12 markers Paw Paw hopped off to a 7-6 margin at the quarter and increased the lead to 28-24 at the close of three periods of play after a 15-15 deadlock at halftime.

Both teams exhibited poor showings at the 15-foot stripe with Paw Paw hooping only four of 15 tries while Bruce netted four of 12 free tosses. Moran was high man for the losers with 14 tallies. The lineups:

| PAW PAW | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Taylor, f | 6 | 0-0 | 12 |
| Crouse, f | 4 | 0-0 | 8 |
| Anderson, c | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Kaylor, g | 3 | 2-8 | 8 |
| Zorich, g | 4 | 1-2 | 9 |
| Cadigan | 4 | 1-5 | 9 |
| Robertson, sub | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Totals | 22 | 4-15 | 48 |

| BRUCE | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hannon, f | 4 | 0-0 | 8 |
| Davisson, f | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Moran, c | 7 | 0-1 | 14 |
| Cain, g | 2 | 3-5 | 7 |
| Broadwater, g | 0 | 1-4 | 1 |
| Shaffer, sub | 0 | 0-2 | 0 |
| Totals | 13 | 4-12 | 30 |

Non-scoring subs—Fitzgerald, Karlewitz, Wills, Howard.
Points by periods:
PAW PAW ..... 7 8 13 20—48
BRUCE ..... 6 9 9 6—30
Referee—Angellatta.

An insurance statistician says: "You have exactly the same chance of being struck by lightning as you have of becoming a millionaire." Never again will an electrical storm make us the least bit nervous.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## Moorefield Snaps KHS Winning Streaks, 40-36

### 850 See Paugh's Five Win On Keyser Court

KEYSER, W. Va., Feb. 25—Keyser's dual winning streak was snapped here tonight by the Yellow Jackets of Moorefield High School to the tune of 40 to 36 as Coach Fred Clark's passers concluded their 1946-47 season in the Potomac Valley Conference.

It was Keyser's thirteenth game at home and the loss smashed a 12-game winning streak. The setback also kept Keyser from going through the conference campaign without a defeat, the locals having won 11 straight until tonight. Keyser, however, clinched the P. V. C. title by defending Ridgeley last Friday.

By winning tonight's battle, Coach Johnny Paugh's passers from Hardy County squared up the season's series with the champions. Keyser took the opener at Moorefield in January by the score of 43-41 in two overtime periods.

Moorefield gained a 4-0 lead at the start of the game on baskets by Welton and Kessel but the home team evened up matters at 4-4 on fielders by Quinn and Blamer. After charity tosses by Sherman and Blamer again tied things up at 5-5, Bob Keller's double-decker sent Moorefield out in front and the Jackets were never headed. The first period ended, 14-8, while at the half the score was 23-16. Moorefield enjoyed a 10-point lead at 26-16 in the third quarter but before the teams battled it out in the final quarter the South Branch quint's edge was reduced to six points at 30-26.

The game was rough, fast and exciting and was witnessed by 850 persons. Fifteen personal fouls were plastered on Keyser and 13 were called on the winners.

Don Smith and Dwight Kessell shared high point honors for Moorefield with 11 tallies each. Fred Blamer and Tommy Quinn with 13 and 12 were Keyser's chief scoring threats.

Keyser's Reserves defeated the Moorefield Reserves in the opener of the dual bill, 41 to 26. Lineups:

| MOOREFIELD | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Smith, f | 5 | 1-4 | 11 |
| Sherman, f | 0 | 3-4 | 3 |
| Welton, c | 1 | 0-2 | 2 |
| Kessel, g | 4 | 3-4 | 11 |
| Keller, g | 3 | 0-0 | 6 |
| Hott | 3 | 1-1 | 7 |
| Harman | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Totals | 16 | 8-15 | 40 |

| KEYSER | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| See, f | 2 | 0-1 | 4 |
| Blamer, f | 4 | 5-7 | 13 |
| Cline, c | 0 | 1-1 | 1 |
| Jones, g | 3 | 0-2 | 6 |
| Quinn, g | 4 | 4-5 | 12 |
| Horner, sub | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Lee, sub | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Totals | 13 | 10-16 | 36 |

Points by periods:
MOOREFIELD ..... 14 9 7 10—40
KEYSER ..... 8 8 8 12—36
Referees—Pence and H. Miers.

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## PETERSBURG SCORES 7TH STRAIGHT WIN

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 25—Racking up their seventh straight victory and their 10th in 15 Potomac Valley Conference tilts the Petersburg High Vikings easily took the measure of Mathias High here tonight by a score of 46 to 20.

The Vikings led all the way as Kuykendall and Smith pounded the hoops for 32 points between them. The former netted nine fielders for 18 tallies while the latter had 14 markers. Seldon was high man for Mathias with eight points. Quarter scores were 7-4, 23-5 and 34-11 all with Petersburg on top.

The girls teams of both schools played to a 16-16 deadlock in the preliminary contest. The lineups:

| PETERSBURG | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Smith, f | 6 | 2-3 | 14 |
| Kuykendall, f | 9 | 0-2 | 18 |
| Deadrick, c | 2 | 1-1 | 5 |
| Vance, g | 1 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Mowery, g | 0 | 1-1 | 1 |
| Dolly, sub | 3 | 0-1 | 6 |
| Berg, sub | 0 | 0-2 | 0 |
| Totals | 21 | 4-10 | 46 |

Non-scoring subs—Hill, McDonald.

| MATHIAS | G. | F. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Seldon, f | 4 | 0-0 | 8 |
| Garrett, f | 1 | 2-4 | 4 |
| Miller, c | 1 | 1-1 | 3 |
| Wilkins, g | 2 | 0-2 | 4 |
| Hepner, g | 0 | 1-1 | 1 |
| Totals | 8 | 4-8 | 20 |

Non-scoring subs—Strawderman, Slater.
Points by periods:
PETERSBURG ..... 7 16 11 12—46
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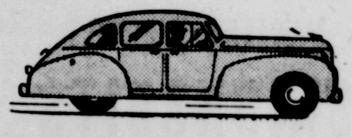

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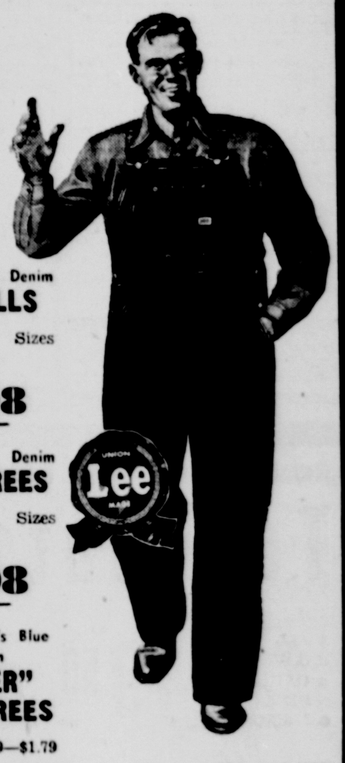

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# Kentucky Will Play In New York Tourney

## Wildcats Accept Invite To Garden Basketball Meet

### Beat Phode Island In 1946 Finale

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—(AP)—The mighty University of Kentucky Wildcats, winners of last year's tourney and one of the top fives in the country this season, have accepted an invitation to play in the national invitational basketball tournament in Madison Square Garden.

The announcement of Kentucky's acceptance of a bid was made today by Asa Bushnell, secretary of the Eastern College Athletic Conference and chairman of the tournament's selection committee.

Kentucky is the second team named for the Blue Ribbon event which starts in the Garden, March 15. The acceptance of West Virginia which boasts a 15-1 record, was announced yesterday.

**Won 1946 Event**

The Wildcats, who will be making their third appearance in the tourney, won last year by defeating Rhode Island State in the final, 46-45. They have a 5-1 record for the tournament.

Winners of 27 games this campaign and beaten only by the Oklahoma Aggies and DePaul, Adolph Rupp's boys undoubtedly will be placed among the four seeded teams for the eight-team event.

The Wildcats are favored to capture the annual Southeastern Conference championship tournament starting Thursday at Louisville. After that affair they have one encounter to go, a game against Temple at Louisville March 8.

**Teams Under Consideration**

The selection committee has not disclosed the other teams under consideration for bids, but it is believed that the following teams may be under consideration: Duquesne, Navy, Notre Dame, Syracuse, Rhode Island, St. Joseph's of Philadelphia, Muhlenberg, Bradley, Western Kentucky, Texas Wesleyan, City College of New York, St. John's of Brooklyn, Fordham and Long Island U.

Other teams which may be in the running include Texas, Santa Clara, North Carolina State, Arizona, St. Louis, Oklahoma, Missouri and New York U. A number of these teams, however, may play in the N. C. A. A. championship tournament instead.

BIG BOY—One of the truly "big boys" of basketball is Larry Foust, six-foot, nine-inch tall freshman of LaSalle College, Philadelphia. Lacking stamina to play full time, Larry is sent in when the score gets knotted. He's saved a number of games.

## CLUB HOUSE PATRONS WILL BE STAMPED

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 25—(AP)—Clubhouse patrons at Gulfstream Park race course this year will be stamped with "invisible ink" that shows up under infra-ray lamp instead of being issued "pass out checks" to go to and from the clubhouse.

When the patron enters the clubhouse gate, a girl will stamp the customer's hand with a specially designed "invisible ink." When leaving, the hand is passed under an infra-ray lamp and the design becomes visible.

Track officials said the ink would not come off on any fabric and disappears entirely in six hours. Different colors and designs will be used daily.

## Joe Louis Arrives

CALI, Colombia, Feb. 25—(AP)—Joe Louis, world heavyweight boxing champion, arrived last night en route to Medellin, Colombia, where he is scheduled for an exhibition today. Sunday he will show his wares in the nation's capital, Bogota.

## VOIGHTS IS NAMED FOOTBALL COACH AT NORTHWESTERN

CHICAGO, Feb. 25 (AP) — Robert W. Voigts, 31, line coach of the Cleveland Browns of the All-America Conference was named head football coach of Northwestern University tonight by the university board of trustees to succeer Lynn (Pappy) Waldorf who resigned.

Voigts returned to his alma mater, where he starred as a tackle in 1936, 37, and 38, with a three year contract. He is the first alumnus football mentor since 1913 when basketball coach Dennis Grady served one year as grid coach.

Waldorf resigned ten days ago to take the head football coaching position at the University of California.

No salary terms were announced but Voigts had demanded earlier "that the price be right and that I can name my own assistants." Waldorf was said to be getting around $10,000 when he resigned and the Browns were believed to be paying Voigts the same figure.

## DiMaggio Will Undergo Second Heel Operation

### Dr. George Bennett Will Wield Knife

SAN JUAN, P. R., Feb. 25—(AP)—Joe DiMaggio, whose injuries have kept him out of the New York Yankees' opening day lineups in six of the eight years he has been in the major leagues, will be flown to the United States tomorrow for a second operation upon his heel.

Larry MacPhail, president of the club, said that DiMaggio would go to Baltimore where Dr. George Bennett of Johns Hopkins would wield the knife "in the next several days." (The Baltimore hospital has a reservation for DiMaggio for Saturday).

DiMaggio was operated upon in New York on Jan. 6 for the removal of a bone spur from his left heel and Dr. Mal Stevens, club physician, said the return visit to the hospital was to graft skin over the original opening to facilitate its healing.

"Clinically speaking," Dr. Stevens added, "there is no doubt that Joe will be in the lineup on opening day." He said he expected DiMaggio to rejoin the Yankees when they reach St. Petersburg, Fla., on March 11.

Should DiMaggio, however, be on the bench when the Yankees tangle with Washington at the capital on April 14 it would be no new experience for the center fielder who twice has been voted the most valuable player in the American League.

A knee injury kept him inactive for several weeks at the start of the 1936 campaign, his first in the big time. The second year an ankle sprain hobbled him at the start and the following year a heat lamp toasted his skin to such tenderness that he was idle for several weeks.

Only in 1942, his final campaign before joining the army, and last season, his first post-war appearance, was he in the lineup on opening day. In 1942 DiMaggio played every game on the schedule but last year he missed 22 because of injuries and stomach ulcers.

Dr. Stevens said he based his prediction that DiMaggio would be well by April 14 on the fact that the wound had "mended more in the last two days than in previous 15."

He added that he had been cutting away dead tissue from the wound for several days "and that it now is clean and red, which shows that it would be all right to have the second operation performed."

## Mountaineers Battle Presidents Tonight

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Feb. 25.—(AP)—West Virginia University's basketball powersouse, assured of a spot in the national invitation tournament, meets Washington and Jefferson here tomorrow night in the first of three home games that will complete its regular season schedule.

The Mountaineers spilled the Presidents 90 to 40 in an earlier engagement at Washington, Pa.

Following the W. and J. game, the Mountaineers tangle with Pitt Saturday night and Carnegie Tech on March 8. Both of those squads also have gone down before the fast-breaking West Virginians once this season.

The Mountaineers will be shooting for their 28th straight victory on their home court against W. and J., and their 16th in 17 games this season. They have been beaten only by Navy, 57 to 55.

## Coach Rupp Predicts Better Tournament

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 25 (AP) — Coach Adolph Rupp said today he was "delighted" that Kentucky was making another trip to the National Invitational Basketball Tournament in New York to defend the championship it won last year.

"I only hope we do as well as we did last year," he said.

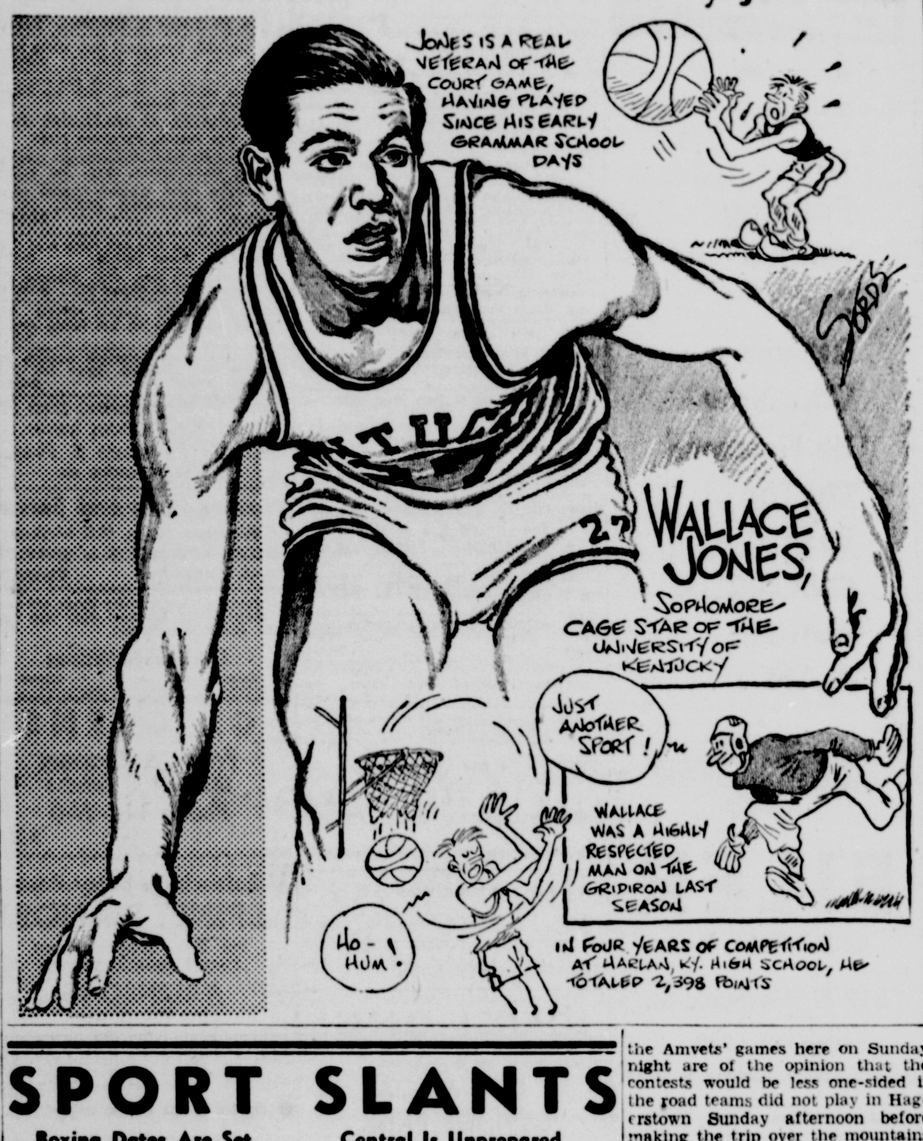
Rupp, on that score, however, said he expected to run into a great deal stronger lineup of opponents.

"College basketball is better all over the country," he stated. "This year's tournament is sure to be a whole lot better than last year's."

## Red Embree Signs

TUCSON, Ariz., Feb. 25 (AP)—Charles (Red) Embree, righthanded pitcher, ended his holdout siege today by agreeing to accept terms offered by President Bill Veeck of the Cleveland Indians. The terms were not announced. Signing of Embree leaves only pitchers Bryan Stephens and Joe Berry on the Tribe holdout list.

COURT NATURAL - - - - - By Jack Sords




# SPORT SLANTS

**Boxing Dates Are Set** • **Central Is Unprepared**

**"Bud's" Foul Mark .748** • **Pro Cage Set-Up Is Bad**

By C. V. BURNS

Entry blanks for the annual South Atlantic boxing tournament have arrived.

The AAU tourney will be held at the Baltimore Garden, Paca and Fayette streets, Baltimore, March 12 and 19.

**A team will be picked from this tourney to represent the district at the national championship event in Boston April 8, 9 and 10.**

Joseph F. Harris, secretary of the boxing committee of the South Atlantic Association, writes:

"We are anxious to have the best boys in the state to represent us and solicit the participation of boys in Cumberland and vicinity.

Entries must be filed by midnight March 8.

Babe Ruth, who weighed in the neighborhood of 230 pounds when he was taken ill, now goes scarcely 160. When he was visited not long ago by Commissioner "Happy" Chandler the Bambino pointed to his skinny arms and broke into tears.

Note to local high schools seeking better class opponents in football:

**Altoona lists open dates September 19 or 20, October 31 or November 1 and November 7 or 8. The Johnstown High Trojans have an open date November 7 or 8.**

The latter school used to appear on Allegany High's grid schedule.

Central High School's girls' basketball team will not compete in the statewide tourney this season, according to Miss Julia Wetzel, coach of the sextet which has played only two games to date.

**"Central has not played enough games to make a good showing in a tournament," Miss Wetzel declared. "Central will not enter state competition regardless of the outcome of its third game with Bruce which will likely be played in Barton."**

Looks as though Everett, Pa., will not be a member of the Interstate Baseball League after all.

It is understood that Everett's $50 franchise fee, which was supposed to arrive this week, has failed to put in its appearance.

**With Everett out of the picture wonder if the Ridgeley American Legion is still seeking a berth in the circuit?**

Westmont High School captured the championship of the Tri-County League the other night by defeating Ferndale High's Yellow Jackets, 50-24. It was Westmont's ninth win against a single loss in the circuit which includes Johnstown High, Indiana, Windber and Ebensburg, Pa.

**Westmont has won 13 out of 14 games this season, the only loss coming at the hands of Johnstown's Trojans.**

Coach Carl Engh's team defeated Allegany here on January 11 by the score of 48-31 and won in Bedford on February 4 to the tune of 47-30. Bedford's at Westmont, March 3, and Allegany closes its regular season there March 7.

"Bud" Fisher, scoring ace of Bedford High School's Bisons, has performed brilliantly at the foul line this season. He has sent the ball spinning through the iron ring 101 times in 135 tries for an average of .748. In other words Fisher has connected from the 15-foot mark three times in every four tries.

"Bud" has reeled off a total of 351 points, including 125 field goals, in 19 games, an average of 18.5 points per game.

**One of the writers covering the Washington Senators advertised for a furnished home in Orlando, Fla. He received a telephone call from a woman who was willing to rent . . . for $750 a month.**

Many fans who have witnessed the Amvets' games here on Sunday night are of the opinion that the contests would be less one-sided if the road teams did not play in Hagerstown Sunday afternoon before making the trip over the mountains for the nocturnal tilt here.

**Most of the teams taking part in this arrangement have faded out quickly and the result is that the Amvets run wild and score almost at will against the visitors.**

It's a bad set-up and Cumberland fans are not seeing visiting teams at their best.

## Puerto Rico All-Stars Defeat Yankees, 7-6

SAN JUAN, P. R., Feb. 25 (AP) — The New York Yankees dropped their second straight game to a Puerto Rican team, bowing 7-6 to the Puerto Rico All-Stars in 12 innings today.

The Yanks used five hurlers in a vain attempt to halt the island nine with Canena Marquezs' single off Vince Di Biasi in the third overtime frame breaking up the game.

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(12 innings)

Wensloff, Raschi (4), Queen (7), Ardizoia (8), Di Biasi (12) and Robinson, Lollar (4), Houk; Ortiz, Guilbe (2), Figueroa (5) and Tirado, Villodas (5).

## Billy Fox Is Favorite In Title Bout Friday

### Negro Is 2-3 Choice To Whip Lesnevich

By SID FEDER

SUMMIT, N. J., Feb. 25—(AP)—Cauliflowers have been raised on a lot of ears since a "baby" beak-buster like Billy Fox has come along to challenge for a world championship after only 43 fights, and only a few months after he's old enough to vote.

Aside, possibly, from Joe Louis, none come to mind without a hunt through the record books. And when you add the fact that the gambling guys have set Billy up as a two to five favorite to dethrone light-heavyweight boss Gus Lesnevich in Madison Square Garden Friday—and two to three to put Gus to sleep doing it—you get the idea that the folks think mighty well of his chances.

It took them a long time to catch on, at that. In fact, it was only a comparatively short time ago that even his manager, Blinky Palermo, was trying to chase him out from underfoot when Fox first had the idea he could do something about mashing other fellows' noses.

As a matter of fact, after Fox was flattened in his first four amateur starts, Blinky said he wouldn't take him as a prize in a package of cracker-jacks. Even after Billy belted out his first few opponents, when he started punching for pay back in 1943, Blinky didn't want any part of him on a platter.

But the more Blinky said "no," the more Billy and his trainer, Jimmy Reed came back for more. And in the confusion, there was Blinky with a fighter.

Blinky wakes up in a cold sweat some nights now when he has a nightmare about how close he came to sending Fox away. Because Billy has had 43 fights up to today—and has chalked up 43 knockouts. This is one of the reasons his pals sometimes refer to him as the big can of ether. He puts so many fellows to sleep.

Billy was born in Tatum, Okla., taken to Richmond, Va., at a ripe young age, and finally landed in the City of Brotherly Love where he learned such professions as shoeshine boy, bus boy, and bowling alley pin-boy, before he turned to raising lumps on other guys. He figures that some day he'll grow up to be a heavyweight—but just now has no ambitions in Joe Louis' direction.

"I'm not anxious to fight him—and I don't think anybody else is, either," he confesses.

## Game Is Cancelled Due To Violation Of Fire Safety Rules

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 25 (AP) —A spectacular overflow which violated the North Carolina fire safety regulations caused cancellation of tonight's Southern Conference basketball game scheduled between North Carolina and N. C. State College in Frank Thompson gymnasium.

The gymnasium was ordered closed by W. R. Butts, Raleigh fire chief, when many students crowded aisles and blocked fire exits. All seats were taken in the gymnasium by 6:30, an hour and a half prior to the scheduled starting time of the game.

## Catamounts Play Bluefield, D. & E.

### Home Contests Listed For Thursday, Friday

Coach Dana "Horse" Lough will run his Potomac State Catamounts through their final drill of the week today as the Mountain Lion cagers prepare for two important tilts this week.

Tomorrow night the Hilltoppers will entertain Bluefield College in the Potomac State field house and the following evening the Cats will tangle with the Davis-Elkins Senators. Both games are return affairs, Potomac State winning over both of the teams on their own courts. Potomac State beat Bluefield 49-40 and D-E 66-64.

Indications are that Kenny Sims' injured foot will keep him out of action this week. Bob Lefever has been working in the pivot position and will probably line up in that spot if Sims cannot use his foot by Thursday night. Lough is not certain on who will start in Lefever's place and he has been alternating towering Dallas Ours and Mask Harwood in the forward position. Mike Yewcic will be at the other forward. The guards will be Ed Burns and "Bomber" Montgomery. This lineup will probably hold for Friday night's tussle with the Senators.

Lough stated yesterday that the game with Concord State College scheduled for Tuesday, March 4, has been changed to Wednesday, March 5. The game is being played at Potomac State.

## Muhlenberg, Albright To Play In Series

LANCASTER, Pa., Feb. 25 (AP) — Muhlenberg and Albright, divisional champions in the Middle Atlantic States Collegiate Athletic Basketball Conference, were paired today for the loop's title playoff series starting March 14.

The Mules, winners of the northern division crown, and Albright of the western section will play as part of a doubleheader that features La-Salle College (Philadelphia) against the Southern Division winner — either Swarthmore or Drexel Tech. The games will be played at the University of Delaware, Newark, Del.

The winners of March 14 games will clash for the conference title won by Lafayette last year. The losers will meet in a consolation contest.

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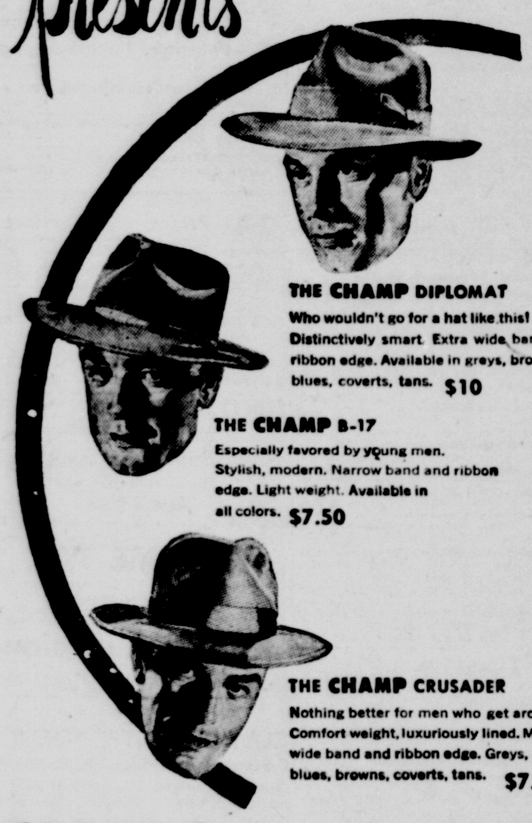

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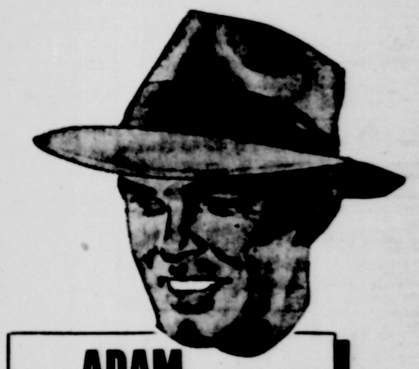

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LOST—Lady's wrist watch between N. Mechanic and Paca St. Call 3758-M. 2-26-2t

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# Radio in Review

By JOHN CROSBY

**INNOCENTS IN HOLLYWOOD**

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 25 — There is more horse trading in this town than in "David Harum." It started in a mild way before the war, but didn't really flourish until equipment of all sorts got very short during and after the war. Then radio actors and guest stars from the movies suddenly acquired a passionate interest in the sponsor's product and almost a distaste for his money.

Clark Gable

On the Dinah Shore show, sponsored by Ford, the guest stars are offered the choice of automobiles or money. The type of automobile they get is determined by their status in the radio or movie world, the actor thereafter is almost immbediately branded as a Ford man or a Mercury man or a Lincoln Continental man. There are very few stars of the Lincoln Continental magnitude. As a matter of fact, some of the finest acting in Hollywood takes place when a screen actor, who is convinced that he is about to be offered a Lincoln Continental, is offered instead a Ford. The sight of an actor trying to smile through his rage and frustration, they say, is worth the trip to Hollywood.

Clark Gable was the first and virtually the only man to get a Continental. A few weeks later Jimmy Durante was invited to be guest of the program and was asked whether he preferred a Lincoln Mercury of a Ford. "Mercury or Ford," exploded Jimmy, who has virtually no inhibitions, "I am insulted. Clark Gable got a Continental and I want a Continentl." He got it, too.

Automobiles aren't the only things that are scarce thesee days. Brian Aherne, who has a large ranch, was far more interested in Ford's farm products than its cars. After a guest shot on the Dinah Shore show he wound up with a tractor, a stump puller and a dozen other farm gadgets.

Jim and Marian Jordan (Fibber McGee and Molly) were—and still are—struggling to get a house completed out in the San Fernando Valley. The shortage of electrical equipment stymied them for months. Then a General Electric salesman blew into town looking for a husband-and-wife team to demonstrate their eccentric blanket in a movie short. The Jordans spurned G. E.'s cash, of which they have plenty, but agreed to horse trade their talents for equipment. G. E. got their movie short and the Jordans got a kitchen completely equipped with G. E. gadgets.

Bob Burns made a full-length movie for Deere, the farm-equipment people, and got, among other things, two of the finest mules in the country.

Some of this horse trading reached alarming proportions. Gruen and Bulova, for instance, presented watches to any one who mentioned their names over the radio. Pretty soon the air was blue with Bulova and Gruen jokes and all, the radio actors had either one or the other, usually both types of watches. N. B. C. finally called a halt to this free advertising. Years ago an automobile company tried the same practice This time it was the company, not the network, that called it quits.

They were giving away so many automobiles that the company would have gone broke if it had gone much longer. However, these Studebaker jokes are just jokes. You don't get anything for a Studebaker joke, usually not even a laugh.

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## Coin-Fed Typewriters For Corn-Fed Scribes

CHICAGO (AP)—If and when you board a rocket for a regular run to the moon or some less distant destination, you better bring some loose cash. The Coin Machine Industries says an assortment of new money-in-the-slot devices will be available for "tomorrow's traveler." Among them are listed venders of towels, tooth brushes and tooth pastes, shaving materials and transportation tickets, a gadget which presses ties, and coin-fed typewriters.

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# Whiteman's Band To Change Format On Tonight's Show

NEW YORK, Feb. 25—The Paul Whiteman band, weekly series on ABC, is changing its format with Wednesday night's program at 9 to become a program in cooperation with the National Guard, under a plan to show the part the guard plays in national defense. The first program in the series will come from Washington, with Sec. of War Patterson as guest speaker.

Frank Sinatra, fortified by a three weeks vacation absence during which guests took care of his assignment, is due back on CBS at 9.

While it is a little bit early, a program here and there is disappearing from the network schedules. One of these to conclude its run on CBS at 10 is Hollywood Players, a movie style drama series that has been on the air only since last fall. The goodbye will be said with Paulette Goddard in "Vivacious Lady."

Author Meets the Critics will have Admiral E. M. Zacharias and his book, "Secret Missions," up for consideration via MBS at 10. . . Bing Crosby's recordings for ABC at 10 will include not only the Andrews Sisters, but the veteran Joe Frisco.

Ozzie and Harriet, the Sunday night broadcasters, will drop round for some guesting with the Dinah Shore show on CBS at 9:30. They'll help out in a comedy sketch.

A guest conductor is to be on hand for Invitation to Music, the 11:30 concert on CBS. He is Georges Enesco, Rumanian composer and violinist.

## The Radio Clock

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

*Changes in programs as listed are due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.*

All times PM eastern standard. To change to central standard subtract one hour; to mountain standard subtract two hours.

Times listed are those supplied by networks. Relay times by local stations may vary in some instances.

5:45—Front Page Farrell, Serial—nbc
Treasury Bandstand Continued—cbs
Tennessee Jed (Repeat at 6:45)—abc
Dick Tracy with Repeat—abc-west
Tom Mix (Repeated at 6:45)—mbs
Buck Rogers with Repeat—mbs-west
6:00—News Report for 15 Mins.—nbc
Eric Sevareid & News Period—cbs
No Network Shows (1 Hr.)—abc-east
Terry Serial in a Repeat—abc-west
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—mbs-west
6:15—America Serenade; Sports—nbc
Word from the Country, Talk—cbs
The Sky King in Repeat—abc-west
Repeat of the Superman—mbs-west
6:30—Red Barber & Sports Time—cbs
Jack Armstrong in Repeat—abc-west
Capt. Midnight in Repeat—mbs-west
6:45—Lowell Thomas & Newscast—nbc
World News and Commentary—cbs
7:00—Radio's Supper Club—nbc-basic
Mystery Drama for the Week—cbs
News Commentary & Overseas—abc
Fulton Lewis, Jr., in Comment—mbs
7:15—News & Comment of World—nbc
Jack Smith and Series for Song—cbs
Elmer Davis and Commentary—abc
Dancing Music 15 Mins.—mbs-basic
7:30—Songs from Carolyn Gilbert—nbc
Ellery Queen Detects as Usual—cbs
Lone Ranger's Drama of West—abc
Cecil Brown in Comment—mbs-basic
7:45—Kaltenborn and Comment—nbc
Bill Brandt in Sports Comment—mbs
8:00—Dennis Day and His Day—nbc
Jack Carson and Comedy Show—cbs
Lum and Abner Comedy Skit—abc
Crime Book Mystery, a Drama—mbs
8:15—Skip Farrell Music Show—abc
8:30—Great Gildersleeve, Comedy—nbc
Jean Hersholt as Dr. Christian—cbs
Willie Piper, a Family Comedy—abc
It's Up to Youth, Teenagers—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
9:00—Duffy's Tavern, Ed Gardner—nbc
The Sinatra Song and Variety—cbs
Paul Whiteman & His Music—abc
Gabriel Heatter and Comment—mbs
9:15—Real Life Drama Series—mbs
9:30—District Attorney's Drama—nbc
Dinah Shore Show with Variety—cbs
Pot O' Gold Telephone Stunt—abc
What's Name of Song Quiz—mbs
10:00—The Frank Morgan Comedy—nbc
Hollywood Players With Drama—cbs
Bing Crosby's Recorded Show—abc
Did Justice Triumph, Dramatic—mbs
10:30—Kay Kyser Music & Quiz—nbc
Information Please with a Quiz—cbs
Henry Morgan Doing His Stuff—abc
The Author Meets the Critics—mbs
11:00—News for 15 Minutes—nbc-basic
The Supper Club Repeat—other nbc
News, Variety, Dancing 2 hrs.—cbs
News and Dance Band Hour—abc
News, Dance Band Show, 2 h.—mbs
11:15—Variety & News to 1 a.m.—nbc
12:00—Dance Band Hr.—abc-west only

## WTBO Highlights

7:00 Yawn Patrol.
7:30 News.
7:45 Reveille Round-Up (NBC).
8:00 World News Round-Up (NBC).
8:15 Morning Melodies.
8:45 News.
9:00 Honeymoon in New York (NBC).
9:30 Morning Meditations.
9:45 Tropical Tempos (NBC).
10:00 Music for Wednesday.
10:30 Road of Life (NBC).
10:45 Joyce Jordan, M. D. (NBC).
11:00 Fred Waring Show (NBC).
11:30 Jack Berch Show (NBC).
11:45 Music at Mid-Day.
12:15 Mid-Day News.
12:45 Words and Music (NBC).
1:00 Sketches In Melody (NBC).
1:45 Robert McCormick (NBC).
2:00 Today's Children (NBC).
2:15 Woman in White (NBC).
2:27 Masquerade (NBC).
2:40 Betty Crocker (NBC).
2:55 News.
3:00 Life Can Be Beautiful (NBC).
3:15 Ma Perkins (NBC).
3:30 Pepper Young's Family (NBC).
3:45 Right to Happiness (NBC).
4:00 Backstage Wife (NBC).
4:15 Stella Dallas (NBC).
4:30 Lorenzo Jones (NBC).
4:45 Young Widder Brown (NBC).
5:00 Moods in Music.
5:25 Tune Teasers.
5:30 News.
5:45 Melody Moments.
6:00 News (NBC).
6:15 Serenade to America (NBC).
6:30 The Sportsman's Corner.
6:45 The Constant Invader.
7:00 The Supper Club (NBC).
7:15 News of the World (NBC).
7:30 The Hour of St. Francis.
7:45 Conservation Program.
8:00 A Day In The Life Of Dennis Day (NBC).
8:30 The Great Gildersleeve (NBC).
9:00 Duffy's Tavern (NBC).
9:30 Mr. District Attorney (NBC).
10:00 The Fabulous Dr. Tweedy (NBC).
10:30 Kay Kyser's College of Musical Knowledge (NBC).
11:00 News from NBC (NBC).
11:15 Harkness of Washington (NBC).
11:30 Commodore Hotel Orchestra (NBC).
12:00 News (NBC).

Chameleons are noted for their ability to change their colors to match those of their surroundings, but they are as apt to change to colors of contrast as to ones that match.

**SALLY'S SALLIES**

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# No Arrests Reported In Drive On Slot Machines

## Authorities Ordered To Confiscate Devices

More than 24 hours after receiving instructions to "bring in" all the slot machines in the county, law enforcement officers last night had failed to confiscate a single machine or make an arrest, a survey made by The News disclosed.

Authorities, who asked not to be quoted, said they were summoned to the office of the state's attorney Monday afternoon and were told to gather up slot machines "by the truckload," take them to the county jail yard and break them up with sledge hammers.

The News received this information on Monday less than half an hour after the meeting was held, but withheld publication of the story yesterday morning in order to give authorities ample time to make their raids without being hampered by premature publicity.

**Machines Removed**

On the other hand, there was action in slot machine circles after word that the "heat's on" apparently spread fast with many machines being removed for safekeeping.

It even appeared that "word" had "gotten around" prior to the meetin because some machines, especially the new "flat top" automatic machines, were removed from public view on Saturday.

A check last night disclosed that all clubs were not in accord with removal of slot machines, however, because some were in play last night. Other clubs had removed theirs.

The sheriff's office reported last night it had sent men to "four or five" establishments on McMullen Highway yesterday but that no slot machines were found.

Officers in other county towns said that so far as they knew no effort was being made to confiscate any machines or make any arrests. In any event, no arrests were docketed or reported by police at Lonaconing, Frostburg, Westernport or Cumberland.

Soon after the meeting in the state's attorney's office Monday, Acting Chief of Police B. F. Gaffney obtained 25 warrants from Magistrate Frank A. Perdew, but authorities said the warrants were merely renewals of "John Doe" warrants obtained monthly for use in inspection of establishments that hold alcoholic beverage licenses.

**Time Not Set**

One official who attended the meeting said the time the raids were to be made "was left up to us," but he added that "it looks like they mean it this time."

He said that according to instructions, the sheriff's office would "take care" of raids outside of incorporated towns but that police were to make the arrests within corporation limits.

While some machines remained in play last night, one officer said that from information he received yesterday slot machines were so scarce "you couldn't play a nickel machine with 50 cents."

# Red Cross Labor Section To Meet

Urging the participation of 14,000 union members in Allegany County in the 1947 Red Cross fund campaign here March 1-10, John F. Chisholm, chairman of the labor division for the drive, announced yesterday that unions will be asked to send representatives to a meeting at Rubber Workers' Hall, 12 South Mechanic Street, on Friday at 8 p. m.

Chisholm, who is treasurer of Local 26, United Rubber, Cork, Linoleum and Plastic Workers of America, said in a form letter sent to county union organizations that the meeting has been called to organize labor's forces for raising $3,000, the quota labor organizations have been asked to raise in the campaign, which opens Saturday.

The annual drive in Allegany County this year seeks to raise $29,560, of which 50.7 per cent, or $15,000, would be retained by the local chapter to carry on its program with 75 per cent of this total earmarked for veterans' needs and for county men serving overseas. The other 49.3 per cent, or $14,560, is to be sent to the national chapter to aid in conducting the comprehensive national program.

A majority of the key union leaders in the nation, as well as the country's leading military men, have endorsed the Red Cross organization and its campaign.

# Home Building Is Increasing Here

The eight building permits granted for new homes during the past month represent the largest number issued at the city engineer's office in one month since April, 1946, when 12 such permits were issued, according to a report released yesterday.

Total number of building permits issued was 23 for estimated construction amounting to $43,700, as compared to last month's total of 14 permits for buildings estimated to cost $41,200.

Of the 23 permits, 16 were for new construction, including the eight permits for new homes, and the remaining seven were for additions or improvements. Estimated new construction totalled $37,350, while additions amounted to $6,350.

Six applications for occupancy permits were made at the office. Three were granted outright, and the remainder, appealed to the Board of Zoning Appeals, were granted after hearings.

George F. Weltman, Jr., 6 Roberts Street, has secured a building permit to construct a five-room residence on Lots 440-441 on Mary Street, at an estimated cost of $4,000.

The one and one-half story structure will measure 31 by 23 feet, with a stone and concrete foundation, walls of stone veneer over sheeting, and an asphalt shingle roof. Work will be done by the owner.

# Heavy Equipment Needed For Snow Work, Light Says

## Four-Wheel Drive Truck Suggested

Stating that present Street Department equipment is inadequate to combat deep snow and drifts, Street Commissioner Myers G. Light said yesterday he will ask the Mayor and Council at a meeting Friday morning to approve purchase of a powerful four-wheel drive truck for the department.

Light explained that the seven dump truck with which the department is equipped have two-wheel drive, explaining that when plows are attached to these trucks, they lack sufficient power to buck heavy snowdrifts.

The commissioner said that work of clearing city streets after the heavy snowfall late last week was completed last Monday, adding that if a more powerful truck had been used in plowing work, the job could have been completed by Saturday.

He said it took an hour and a half for one of the trucks to get up Broadway, and that the truck had to back up because it lacked sufficient power to make the grade otherwise. Another truck was thrown out of commission temporarily in plowing work because it was too light for the work.

The commissioner said the dump trucks are intended for hauling dirt and cinders, stating they can take care of clearing snow which is only four or five inches deep, but not a heavy fall of 14 inches as in the recent snowstorm.

At a rough estimate, a new four-wheel drive truck would cost about $4,000 but Light said the equipment is needed no matter what the cost. The Street Department, in addition to the seven dump trucks, had a grader and two light pickup trucks.

The commissioner said Street Department crews worked overtime from Thursday until Saturday, adding that although city streets are all open for traffic now, some crews were out yesterday shoveling snow away from catch basins.

In the midst of a deluge of telephone calls to City Hall and his home from residents asking that snow be removed from their streets, Light said one man complained bitterly when Central Avenue was cleared of snow because "the children couldn't go sled riding."

# Heart Attack Is Fatal To Former Local Resident

F. Gould Screen, 40, son of the late John and Elizabeth Screen, died suddenly yesterday morning in Gibsonville, N. C., of a heart attack, according to word received here by his sisters, Miss Ruth G. Screen, 229 Pear street and Mrs. Grant A. Wiebel, 423 Franklin Street.

Mr. Screen was born in Lonaconing but lived in Cumberland for many years before leaving here 14 years ago for Burlington, N. C. He was connected with the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company for several years before going to North Carolina where he entered business. He operated the Tire Sales Company at Burlington.

He was a member of Centre Street Methodist Church, Fort Cumberland Lodge No. 211, A. F. & A. M., Burlington Country Club and the Kiwanis Club.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Robbie Tenney Screen; three sisters, Mrs. David I. Mateer, 630 Shriver Avenue, who is now in Florida; Miss Screen and Mrs. Wiebel.

Funeral services will be held in Burlington Friday with interment in Pine Hill Cemetery there.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wiebel and Miss Screen will leave here this morning for Burlington to attend the funeral.

# Preliminary Water Line Work Started

City Engineer Ralph L. Rizer has started work on specifications for the proposed auxiliary water line from Lake Gordon to Cumberland, and Mayor Thomas S. Post said yesterday that "We hope to start the new line this summer if it doesn't cost over a million dollars."

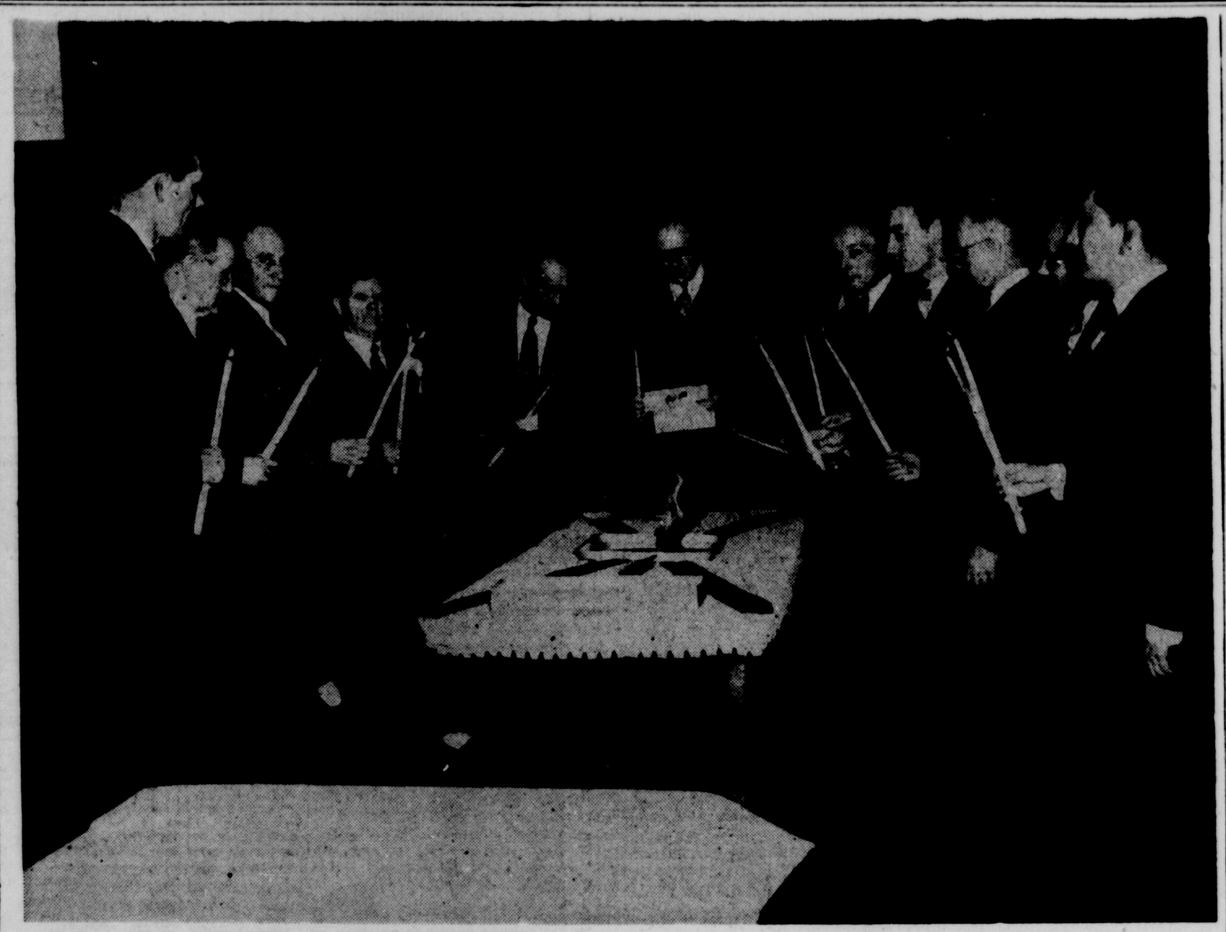
C. J. Bruce, superintendent of the Evitss Creek Water Company, said in his opinion the line can be built for a million dollars provided there is no great increase in the cost of materials. Necessary rights of way have already been secured.

The city now has approximately $900,000 for the proposed project, $750,000 of the amount being bonds authorized by the Legislature which have never been issued and the remainder an estimated $150,000 in a postwar fund which can be used for the new line.

Rizer said today the specifications will call for 36 inch steel, cylindrical, reinforced concrete pressure pipe, and that the job will require 41,300 feet of pipe to reach from Lake Gordon to the city, connecting with water mains which have already been laid at the corner of Decatur and Davidson Streets.

The new line would furnish Cumberland with an additional 12 million gallons of water per day with pressures comparable to that of the present line at various points. The pressure on Baltimore Street would be 125 pounds. This would mean that the new line would furnish the city with the same amount of water as the present line.

Rizer said that the task of laying the new line will require between 10 and 12 months. This means it would not be completed until some time next year even if started this summer, as city officials hope.



**FIREMEN BURN MORTGAGE**—Members of the LaVale Volunteer Fire Company witnessed the burning of the mortgage on their fire hall last night at the 14th annual banquet of the association. The mortgage on the property was liquidated during the war, but the ceremony was delayed until all members returned from the armed services. In the center of the picture, reading the names of the officers is Rev. Charles E. Shaw, serving as chaplain, and on his right is Alvin G. Youngblood, president. Other officers in the picture include Elmer C. Lancaster, vice president; Cromwell C. Zembower, recording secretary; Raymond Logsdon, financial secretary; Walter Alexander, treasurer; James W. Beacham, William W. Wiegand and J. W. Ritchie, trustees; Elmer T. Beachley, fire chief; Henry Wintermeyer, assistant chief and Edward Dressman, sergeant at arms.

# LaVale Firemen Burn Mortgage At Annual Dinner

## Pay Tribute To Deceased Members

A memorial service as a tribute to departed members and burning of a mortgage of the fire house, featured the 14th annual banquet of LaVale Volunteer Firemen last night in the fire hall at LaVale.

Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., local trial magistrate, served as toastmaster and with appropriate wit and humor introduced the guests and told numerous stories on firemen and others present.

Guest speaker was W. Earle Cobey, local attorney, who served as a lieutenant commander in the United States Navy during the war. Cobey gave an interesting account of the "Ferdinands," popular name of coast watchers in the Southwest Pacific Islands, who served with the Australians and Americans, furnishing information by short wave radio, about the movement of the Jap fleet, troops and Air Force. He likened the vigil of these civilian coast watchers to that of firemen who are constantly on the watch and alert to protect their communities.

**Memorial Service Held**

Judge Bruce presented County Commissioners Charles N. Wilkinson, Jr., William H. Lemmert and James Holmes, William C. Wilson, president of the State Firemen's Association; Rev. Charles E. Shaw, Sgt. W. E. O'Hara, of the state police, and Oscar Parrish as guests of honor. He also presented Leo Imes, the last of 21 veteran members to return home.

At the memorial service, during which the sergeant-at-arms, Edward Dressman, extinguished a candle as each name was read by the chaplain, Rev. Charles E. Shaw, the following deceased members were honored: G. W. Lancaster, Russell Proud, D. P. Miller, J. E. Lafferty, Earl Lewis, Ruchlin J. Ritchie, J. George Smith and Elmer Fishell.

In eulogizing the deceased members, Rev. Mr. Shaw said, "Blessed are the dead, who die in the Lord, for they rest from their labors and their good works do follow them."

Four life memberships were presented by Judge Bruce in behalf of the fire company to Alvin G. Youngblood, John W. Ritchie, William H. Wiegand and Phillip Miller.

**Mortgage Is Burned**

At the mortgage burning service, each officer of the organization was given a large candle and each assisted in setting fire to the mortgage. The ashes were sealed and will be preserved among the possessions of the company.

Officers who participated in the mortgage burning included, Alvin G. Youngblood president; Elmer C. Lancaster, vice-president; Cromwell Zembower, recording secretary; Raymond J. Logsdon, financial secretary; Walter Alexander, treasurer; James W. Beacham, William W. Wiegand and J. W. Ritchie, trustees; Elmer T. Beachley, chief; Henry Wintermeyer, assistant chief and Edward Dressman, sergeant-at-arms.

The ceremonies and addresses were preceded by a banquet prepared and served by members of the Ladies Auxiliary and after the program Oscar Parrish, LaVale magician entertained with a program of magic.

# Brothers Held After Pedestrian Is Hit

Two Corriganville brothers were held in City Jail last night for trial in Police Court today on disorderly conduct charges, and police said the pair assaulted a pedestrian they struck in their automobile.

Booked as Henry Getson and Earl W. Getson, the duo, with Henry allegedly driving, struck Ray Nixon, 118 Polk street, as he crossed Centre street at Bedford, at 6:30 p. m., police reported.

They said Nixon was knocked to the street and that when he got up the brothers asked him what he intended to do about it. Replying, Nixon said he was going to report it, whereupon the brothers attacked him, police reported.

# Veteran Of 1907-12 World Cruise Turned Down For Naval Reserve

## Age Counts Against Union Grove Man

A Union Grove man who sailed on "Teddy Roosevelt's cruise around the world" from 1907 to 1912 tried unsuccessfully yesterday to enter the inactive Naval Reserve, but his age was against him.

Benjamin W. DeMoss, 63, a small, brisk, gray-haired man, offered his services as an instructor for the Cumberland Organized Naval Reserve Division, but Lt. Comdr. Walter N. Hedrick, organizing officer, had to turn him down because the age limit for veterans of military service prior to World War II is 40 years.

DeMoss said he enlisted as an apprentice seaman at New London, Conn., in January, 1907, sailing soon after from San Francisco aboard the battleship Ohio on the first leg of a world cruise authorized by President Theodore Roosevelt as part of his crusade for a strong Navy.

For the next five years, the Union Grove man visited numerous world ports in Hawaii, Australia, New Zealand, the Philippines, and China. He was discharged at Bremerton, Washington, in 1912 with the rate of electrician's mate third class, and later served 11 months in World War I as a "train rider," escorting Navy recruits to their destinations.

DeMoss said he served in a civilian status for three years as a Navy guard at the Baltimore drydock during World War II, mounting guard during the conversion of the passenger liner President Madison into the hospital ship Refuge.

When the question of age and physical requirements for the reserve came up, Comdr. Hedrick asked DeMoss whether his teeth were his own. Clicking them briskly, DeMoss said "Certainly they're my own, I paid for them!"

# Most Roads Open Late Last Night

State and county road crews were successful yesterday in opening most snow-drifted roads, it was reported last night, and temperatures rose somewhat yesterday afternoon, and some snow melted where it was hit by the direct rays of the sun.

However officials reported that some country or secondary roads are open only to one-way traffic and drifts encountered were as deep as 12 feet in places.

Temperatures in the area were a little higher than in the past few nights, with mercury at Cumberland at +30 above zero at midnight. At Thomas, W. Va., and Deal, Pa., mercury stood at 18 above. There were snow flurries at both Deal and Thomas and about two feet of snow remained at both places.

In the LaVale section and other areas west of Cumberland last night heavy snowfall was reported, and there was heavy snowfall during the day in the Georges Creek Region, although not enough to hamper traffic.

Buses and trains continued to move on time and main highways were all reported clear of snow and ice by bus companies and State Police.

Unless there is much more snowfall and considerable wind, highway officials believe roads can be kept clear and open. County road crews will continue working in some outlying sections today, it was indicated.

# Preaching Mission Will Open Today

A preaching mission will open at the First Church of the Nazarene, Oldtown Road, today and continue through Sunday March 2, Rev. C. Neal Hutchinson, minister, announced yesterday.

Rev. O. L. Benedum, East Liverpool, Ohio, district superintendent of Akron District of the Church of the Nazarene will speak each night. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Benedum, who will sing solos during the mission.

# Local Groups Are Urged To Support Smoke Ordinance

Terming the proposed new smoke control ordinance a "constructive move" toward the abatement of smoke in Cumberland, James Alfred Avirett, local attorney, told members of the Exchange Club at a dinner meeting last night at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club that local organizations should support the measure.

The ordinance, prepared recently by City Attorney Charles Z. Heskett and now being studied by city officials, provides for the appointment of a smoke abatement engineer and several assistants, who would inspect fuel burning installations and see that smoke regulations were observed. An advisory and appeal board is also provided for.

Stating that railroads, Potomas Edison Company river plant, smaller industries, institutions and private homes are the main producers of smoke in Cumberland, Avirett said the problem affects every citizen, stating that concerted effort will "clean up" the city.

In an open discussion following his talk, Avirett pointed out that regulations provided in the ordinance would be beneficial to small industries, since more efficient operation would result from the need to get the most out of fuel consumption with the least smoke waste; and because the advice and experience of a trained smoke abatement engineer would be available to small industries, which could not otherwise afford to retain an expert in such matters.

As regards the railroads and the Potomac Edison plant, Avirett said all three have demonstrated that smoke can be diminished through proper precautions and equipment.

The speaker was introduced by George Tederick.

# Plans Completed For Radio Forum

Final plans for the opening broadcast of the forum series, "Wake Up, Cumberland," which will be presented this coming Sunday afternoon from 4:30 to 5, were discussed at a meeting last night at Station WTBO of the committee sponsoring service and women's civic clubs.

Mrs. John A. Cupler, II, representing the Cumberland branch, American Association of University Women, who is permanent chairman of the committee, said the title of the first broadcast is "What Is the Forum—'Wake Up, Cumberland'?" The half-hour program will consist of a panel discussion on the policies and purposes of the series, which is planned to provide round-table discussions on matters of interest to Cumberland and Allegany County.

Those who will take part with Mrs. Cupler in the WTBO broadcast will be Robert Little Ebert, representing the Rotary Club; George H. Tederick of the Exchange Club; and James W. Bishop of the Kiwanis Club.

Programs on succeeding Sunday afternoons at the same time are planned, and subjects to be discussed include a consumer sales tax, taxation of gambling devices, a liquor control board for Allegany County, home rule, and the need for a county detention home.

Other sponsoring organizations include the Business and Professional Women's Club; the Woman's Civic Club, the Optimist Club and the Lions Club.

# Fire Damages Taxi

Central Company No. 1 was called at 1:05 a. m. yesterday to the corner of Canal and Baltimore Streets when a taxicab owned by Johnny's Cabs caught fire. The blaze, caused by a back-fire in the engine, caused considerable damage.

# Board Is Told New Election Books Needed

## Routine Problems Before Commissioners

County commissioners were asked yesterday to give some consideration in the new budget to the cost of transcribing county election books and records, since the present books are filled.

Patrick F. King, clerk and Edward J. Ryan, attorney to the Board of Election Supervisors appeared before the Board at their regular meeting and made the request. They explained that the books were transcribed in 1928, with eight persons employed for three months at $7 per day, or a total of $4,200. New books cost $3,000 and reregistration costs about $2,100.

The Board decided to consider the matter and act upon it at the regular meeting Friday.

Arthur G. Ramey, supervisor of student personnel in public schools, informed the Commissioners that school attendance in rural areas is below normal due to numerous rural roads being blocked by the snow.

Members of the Board explained to Ramey that Engineer Albert S. Paye and his road crews have been working night and day clearing the drifts, and that additional men have been employed. Everything possible is being done and available equipment is being used to fullest capacity, officials said.

Conditions were described as "bad generally," but worse in mountain sections, including Stony Run, Dan's Mountain, Hazen Road, Bald Knob, Huffman, Warrior Mountain roads and the road leading to the Midland School.

Stanley G. Clayton, Sr., Elintstone, submitted an offer to purchase the abandoned small school on Tunnel Hill, in the Green Ridge section. The request was referred to the engineer.

The Allegany Land Company asked an abatement of a $200 assessment on a house in District No. 20 which has burned down.

Anita Porter, 15 Oak Street, also asked a reduction of $500 on her 1947 assessment, since the place was burned last July.

J. Milton Dick and William J. Chappell pesented a request that the Flat Rock bridge and crossing be re-opened. They asked that an act of the Legislature be approved by the board for such action. Dick pointed out that homes in that area were endangered because fire trucks are now unable to use the crossing or bridge.

Commissioner Charles N. Wilkinson, Jr., suggested that a conference be arranged with William Claus, general manager of the Cumberland Pennsylvania Railroad, to discuss the proposed reopening of the crossing.

**Legion Asks Exemption**

Gorman E. Getty, representing James P. Love Post, No. 52, American Legion, Lonaconing, asked an exemption of taxes on part of the Legion property there, but decision was deferred.

Getty said the total assessment was $6,800 and asked that the exemption cover $5,000, the assessed value of the post headquarters. No exemption was asked for garages and apartments owned by the Legion and which are rented.

Lewis M. Wilson, attorney to the board, was absent, due to illness and no action was taken on a report last week that a number of clubs and similar organizations should not have tax exemptions. For many years the board has granted exemptions on property owned by churches, fraternal and veterans' organizations.

Harold W. Smith, secretary of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce, sent the board a copy of a letter to Horace P. Whitworth, Jr., chairman of the county delegation in the House of Delegates, pertaining to proposed bills for rescinding exemption of taxes on tools and machinery granted industries in the county.

Smith said the chamber had taken no stand in the matter, but cited that members believe existing contracts between the commissioners and various companies should not be changed, and that exemptions given them in past year and still in effect should be upheld.

# PE Bus Strike Appears Likely Here Saturday

# Bond Issue Bill For County Home Is Introduced

## Favorable Report On City Revenue Measure

The Allegany County delegation yesterday introduced in the General Assembly a bill authorizing a $250,000 bond issue which would enable the County Commissioners to add an annex to the Allegany County Home and Infirmary.

Plans for the proposed annex already have been submitted to the County Commissioners by Albert S. Paye, county engineer.

Part of the proposed building would be two stories high, and on the one-story section a sun-deck is provided for patients. At each end of the structure, rooms are provided for juveniles who may be detained for brief periods while cases are being disposed of in Juvenile Court.

The bond issue had been requested by the County Commissioners and the bill was referred to the delegation after being introduced.

The Ways and Means Committee of the House yesterday reported favorably on a city revenue measure which would return to the city one cent on the gasoline tax now returned to firms operating buses in the city limits, according to Horace P. Whitworth, Jr., committee member and chairman of the Allegany County delegation.

The mayor and city council asked that this bill be introduced in a move to provide additional revenue for Cumberland.

Another measure introduced by the county delegation yesterday would repeal a provision of the public local laws requiring the recording of plats for sub-division of land in Allegany county. It was referred to the delegation.

Whitworth said a hearing definitely will be held in the State House at 3:30 p. m. Thursday on a bill proposed by Delegate William H. Geppert that would require strip mining operators to leave land in the condition they found it when they began operations.

# Support Of FHA Rental Housing Program Sought

Stating that already more than 100 builders in Baltimore and other Maryland counties have pledged their support to the rental housing program suponsored by the Federal Housing Administration, E. Lester Muller, state FHA director, said yesterday he will appear to Cumberland investors and builders to support the program at a meeting here next Tuesday, March 4.

The meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. in City Hall auditorium. Builders, lumber dealers, realtors, architects and representatives of financial institutions have been invited to attend.

Muller said the FHA program calls for the construction of a large volume of rental housing as part of the national effort to produce adequate living quarters for veterans and their families.

Much of the building planned will be financed under a plan authorized by the Veterans' Emergecy Housing Act, which permits FHA to insure up to 90% of the necessary current cost of the property, including land and building.

Under FHA regulations, blanket mortgages may be insured on groups of housing structures, with provision for release of separate building at a future date in case of sale of these structures.

Non-Veterans may construct two to four-family houses and occupy one unit while renting the remaining units, with veterans having first preference, it was pointed out.

Another source of rental dwelling units is the conversion and remodeling program, Muller said. Owners of structures who have more room of structures who have more room than they need for their own occupancy may remodel and create an apartment for rent to a veteran. Loans for this purpose up to $5,000 are made by qualified lending institutions insured by the FHA.

Owners of structurally sound buildings not previously used for housing may convert the buildings into apartment-type housing under special provisions with long-term amortizing mortgages insured by the FHA.

# BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nave, 321½ Beall Street, announce the birth of a son in Memorial Hospital Tuesday night.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thomas Kerr, 117 West Main Street, Frostburg, in Memorial Hospital Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer A. Golden, Corriganville, announce the birth of a son in Memorial Hospital Tuesday night.

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. George R. Stimmel, Route 4, Tuesday morning in Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Duggan, 917 Glenwood Street, announce the birth of a daughter Tuesday morning in Memorial Hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Phillipss, 454 Goethe Street, Tuesday morning in Memorial Hospital.

A daughter was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. William Oswald, Jr., New York. The father is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Oswald, Roberts Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mulligan, Mt. Savage, announce the birth of a son in Miners Hospital, Frostburg, Tuesday night.

# Contract Negotiations Reach Standstill

A strike on Saturday of Potomac Edison Company bus drivers loomed last night as officials of Local Division 1110, Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employes of America, AFL, reported negotiations for a new contract had reached a standstill, with their demands not met.

John M. Elliott, international representative of the union, said three meeting with the company have been held but added, "We're still far apart on our principal demands."

These demands include a wage increase of 23 cents an hour, improvement in vacation provisions and supplying of a uniform now bought by drivers, by the company.

The last of three meetings with the company was held yesterday and Elliott said the company refused to better its proposals made at a meeting January 28 which were rejected by the union.

**Company Offers 8 Cents**

The company, he said, has offered an eight cents an hour pay increase, very little change in the present vacation setup and refused to supply one uniform for drivers.

No further meetings between the union and the company are scheduled.

Despite this outlook, Elliott said he is still hopeful that some agreement can be reached. He said he intends to contact the United States Conciliation Service today and ask their assistance in reaching an agreement and avoiding a strike.

Elliott likewise declared that the union has willingly agreed to submit the entire dispute to arbitration and will be bound by the written decision of the arbitration board, but he said the company so far has refused this offer.

While the situation now appears "black," Elliott said he feels it is not yet "helpless" and added that every effort will be made to reach a settlement before the expiration of the contract at midnight Friday.

Elliott said he is "not in Cumberland looking for a strike but for a settlement." He added that his union is opposed to strikes and that he no more wants a strike here "than to see Russians take over the United States."

The five-man negotiating committee of the union first met with the company on January 20 and submitted its demands at that time, according to Elliott, who said the company presented its offer on January 28.

On February 11 those proposals were submitted to the union membership at a 2 a. m. meeting, explained and rejected as unsatisfactory.

**Hopes To Avoid Strike**

At that meeting, Elliott said he prevailed on the membership not to strike until the contract expires. The membership voted to strike, he added, but gave the negotiating committee the power to call the stoppage with the understanding a strike would be called if company proposals did not more nearly meet union demands.

Elliott said he hopes a strike can be avoided because of inconvenience caused the public by a transportation tie-up, and he added that he will "welcome the assistance of anyone who can help bring us together."

Under their present contract, drivers are receiving 97 cents hourly. They are asking a wage rate of $1.20 per hour and the company is offering $1.05, Elliott said.

The present vacation set-up calls for one week vacation with 48 hours pay after the first year of employment, and two weeks vacation with 48 hours pay per week after five years.

The union is asking two weeks vacation after the second year and wants the vacation pay based on the hours drivers are working. Drivers now average 52 hours weekly, Elliott pointed out.

Members of the negotiating committee are James H. Morrison, union president; Lawrence Grim, financial secretary; Burr Powell, vice president; Nelson Rosenmerkle, shop steward, and Elmer Holler.

Henry W. Price, district manager for the Potomac Edison Company, could not be reached for comment.

# Boy Is Injured When Hit By Sled

Donald Duncan, 10-year-old son of Mrs. Alex Duncan, Midlothian, was admitted to Miners Hospital, Frostburg, last night for treatment of a fracture of the left leg about the knee. Attaches were told the lad was injured when he was struck by a sled last night.

William H. Grace, 76-year-old Ridgeley, W. Va., farmer, was treated in Memorial Hospital last night for a right wrist injury. He told attaches he was injured while taking care of some cows. Mr. Grace was able to leave the hospital after a cast was applied.

Carroll Muntzing, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Muntzing, Petersburg, was admitted to the same hospital early last night for treatment of a deep laceration on the lip. Attaches were told the lad was cut when he fell against a barbed wire fence.

Willie Perrin, Flintstone, who was admitted to Allegany Hospital February 6, was reported in a fairly good condition. Mr. Perrin suffered a fractured leg is a fall some time ago.

Harry Shroyer, 35, Hyndman, Pa., a B. and O. blacksmith's helper, was treated in Allegany Hospital last night for lacerations and burns on the nose and right cheek. He told attaches he was injured while at work.

# Leaves Estate To Children

Admitted to probate in the Orphans' Court, the will of Mrs. Mary A. Pugh, of McCoole, who died February 8, leaves the entire estate to her seven children. They are: Mrs. Catherine Yocum, Mrs. Ruth A. Gray, James M., Wade H., Estella P. Margaret S. and Donald F. T. Pugh.

The will was drawn June 28, 1940 and witnessed by Lillian E. Frank and H. Wayne Frank.